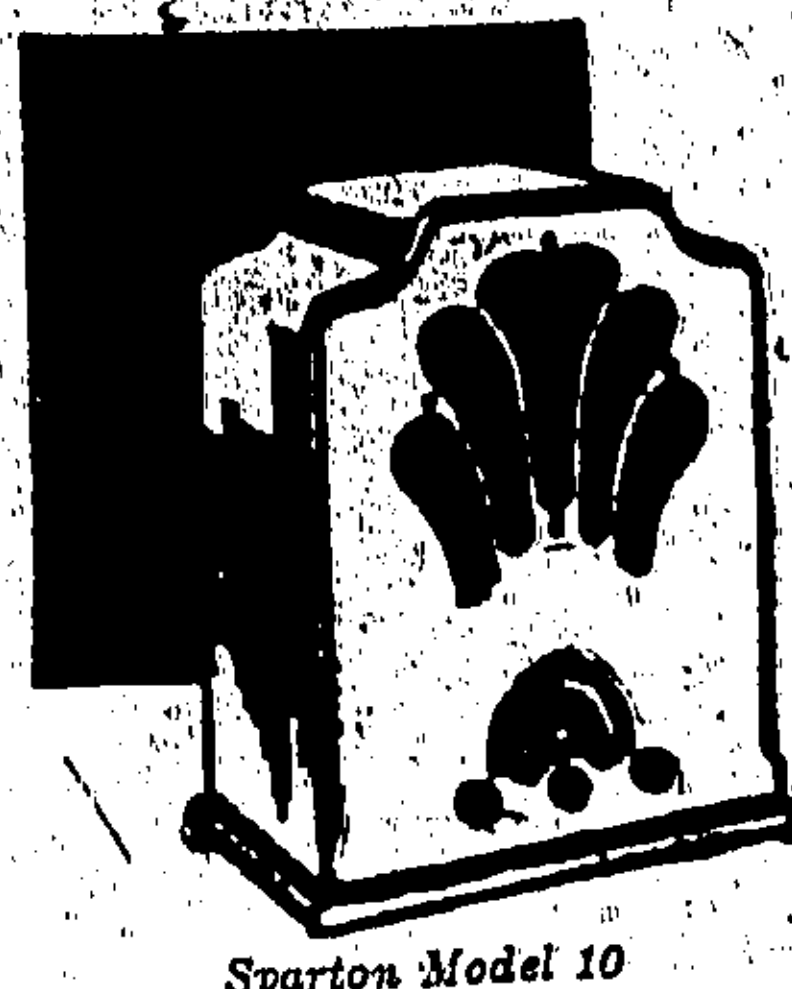




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HOOVER INSISTS ON DEBT PAYMENT ELECTION PLATFORM MADE PUBLIC FIRM ANTI-WAR STAND

Washington, To-day.
President Herbert Hoover, Republican nominee for the presidency of the United States, to-day made clear his campaign platform. Outstanding in his policies is that which demands a full payment of the War Debts owing to America; and almost equally sensational is his stand in the matter of the preservation of world peace. America, he says, will never recognise a title to land won by conquest nor will she ever again enter into an agreement to use force to prevent warfare.

Firm pursuance of all implications of the Briand-Kellogg Pact featured Mr. Hoover's speech on his general policy, in accepting the Republican nomination for the Presidency. The President declares his belief in the spirit of the Pact.

"In times of emergency, we shall consult other nations to promote world peace," he said. "But we will not enter into agreements committing us to any future course of action or which would call for the use of force to preserve peace. Above all, I projected the new doctrine that we will never recognise a title to possession of territory gained in violation of the Peace Pacts. That doctrine was accepted by all the nations of the world on a recent critical occasion."

The President opposes cancellation of War Debts, but is hopeful that drastic reduction of armaments may ease the burden of debtor countries, while "if for any particular annual payment we were offered some other tangible form of compensation, like the expansion of the market for American products and the restoration and maintenance of our prosperity, I am sure our citizens would consider such a proposal."

Favours State Option.
Regarding prohibition, Mr. Hoover favours state option, with safeguards against the return of the saloon and "speakeasy."

The President upholds the protective tariff and subjects the Democratic proposal of a competitive tariff for revenue purposes. Other points in the President's programme include: "Restricted immigration, 'safety first' in defence, reform of the banking laws, and a balanced budget."

In the course of his speech, the President blamed Europe for being largely responsible for the war.

SPANISH REVOLT IS SUBDUED.

Royalists Fail At Seville.

LEADER CAPTURED.

Spain Once More Under Republican Control.

Madrid, To-day.
The Royalist insurrection has failed, to all intents and purposes, its leaders are captured or flying and its loyal bands dispersed. Troops of the Republic are steadily marching towards the seriously disaffected area of Seville, and it is reported that the situation is now under complete control of the Government.

Madrid, To-day.
Peace is now restored throughout the country, since the arrest of General Sanjurjo while trying to escape to Portugal. Communications with Seville, which were cut off, are now restored.

Large numbers of troops are converging upon Seville, but no fighting is expected, owing to the collapse of the Royalist movement following General Sanjurjo's arrest.

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MRS. VICTOR BRUCE BREAKS RECORD.

World Endurance Flight Attempt.

REFUELLING IN AIR.

London, To-day.

The attempt on the world endurance flight record which is being made by Mrs. Victor Bruce and her two companions in her "Saro Windhover" flying boat is continuing. English airmen have not previously devoted much attention to endurance flights of this kind, and Mrs. Bruce yesterday broke the British record which stood at 50 hours 38 minutes.

One of the most interesting features of the flight is the new method employed for passing fuel and other supplies to the seaplane from two attendant machines. These machines, joined by a cord, fly ahead of the seaplane until it comes between them, thus enabling a cord to be seized and the pipe line from the tanker plane is then drawn aboard.

A development of a sound method of refuelling in the air would probably greatly assist commercial aviation by a considerable raising of payload. — British Wireless Service.

HSINGEN CAPTURED FROM THE REDS.

General Yu Confirms Defeat Of Communists.

FIERCE FIGHTING.

Canton, To-day.

Interviewed by Reuter upon his arrival from the front to-day, Ku Han-mou, commander of the First Army, confirmed the capture of Hsingen from the Communists. He stated that the fighting during the past week has been the most severe since the campaign started. The Reds actually attempted to penetrate into North Kwangtung and East Hunan, with the object of making a surprise attack on Wuhan and then joining up with the Communists on the Hubei, Anhui and Hunan borders.

The situation was most critical when the Reds surrounded Tayu and Namshang, on the river, and were within a few hours of capturing them. General Yu stated that the situation was now under complete control of the Government.

7,000 PASSENGERS FOR 11 HOLIDAY LINERS.

Southampton Invaded By Tourists.

London, To-day.

At Southampton this week-end, 11 liners are scheduled to arrive or depart carrying over 7,000 passengers on holiday cruises.

The growing popularity of holiday cruises in British vessels is shown by the announcement that 75 trips will be made during the remainder of the season. The majority will start from Southampton, the Mersey, and the Thames. Cruises range from trips round the British Isles to visits to northern capitals, Spain, the Mediterranean and round-the-world journeys. — British Wireless Service.

OLYMPIC GAMES.

CAMBRIDGE CREW QUALIFY.

To Meet Italy, Canada And America.

INDIAN HOCKEY CHAMPIONS GREAT TRIUMPH.

Defeat America By 24 To 1 In Tourney Final.

ELEANOR HOLM WINS.

Los Angeles, To-day.

The Cambridge University eight qualified yesterday for the final of the Rowing Eights at the Olympic Games when they won the row-off between six nations.

They will now meet Italy, Canada and the United States in the final.

In the preliminary heats the Light Blues were surprisingly beaten by the Italian eight who won by 2 lengths.

The All-India Hockey XI won the Olympic Hockey Tournament when they beat the United States by 24 goals to 1 in the Final Round.

In the first round India beat Japan by 11 goals to 1, thus conceding their first goal in international encounters during the last six years.

Eleanor Holm (America) won the Women's 100-Metres Backstroke in 1 min. 19.2/5 secs.

On July 2 Miss Holm won the 220 Yards Backstroke at a water carnival in Bear Mountain in the world's record time of 3 mins. On July 17 she broke the world's record for the 100-Metres Backstroke, covering the distance in 1 min. 18.1/5 secs. — 1.1/5 secs. faster than yesterday's effort.

DOLLAR STEADY.

To-day's Quotation At 1/37.8.

The dollar remained steady to-day after its rise in the past week. It closed at 1/37.8.

Only a little over a week ago it stood at 1/37.5 and has risen steadily to its present level.

The spot price of silver was quoted at 15.15/16 with silver forward slightly higher at 15.17/18. The United States gold price was reported at 24.45.

CHANG DETERMINED TO RESIGN.

To Prove Loyalty Of His Troops.

WANG LEAVES SHANGHAI.

Marshal Chiang Urges Cabinet To Return.

Peiping, To-day.

Marshal Chang Hsueh-liang, in an interview with foreign correspondents, re-emphasised his determination to resign. He declared he did not hold the old idea of control of troops being vested in their commander. He would set an example to the other military commanders in China by handing over his armies to General Chiang Kai-shek's appointee, thus showing the country that his troops were not his, but subject to the orders of the Government. At the same time he was anxious to safeguard their future and ensure that the transfer of the command would not result in their dispersal.

Chang Hsueh-liang declared he had long been anxious to travel abroad. He hoped to study at either Oxford or Cambridge, and to visit three countries struggling towards a new life — Italy, Turkey and Germany — but his main intention was to settle in France, where living is inexpensive. He said he anticipated remaining in Europe from three to five years. — Reuter.

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BRITAIN LEADS IN BROADCASTING.

Immense Future For Radio Industry.

MILLIONS "LISTEN IN."

Sir Kingsley Wood Talks Of Developments.

London, To-day.

Postmaster-General Sir Kingsley Wood, speaking to-day at the Savoy Hotel at a luncheon meeting held to discuss the Radio Exhibition, to be staged at Olympia, London, this month, commented on the remarkable growth of broadcasting in the United Kingdom.

He said 4,500,000 people paid for wireless sets each year and there was little doubt the numbers would soon reach 5,000,000. Britain was leading the world in broadcasting, but exploitation in wireless was only just beginning. The popularity and progress in United Kingdom owed much of its success to British radio manufacturers, who had reason to be proud of the part they were playing in development of broadcasting. — British Wireless Service.

RUBBER PRODUCERS' RENTS REDUCED.

Malayans Express Gratitude.

AID TO COMPETITION.

Singapore, To-day.

Appreciation of the decision of the Malay States and the Johore Governments to waive all rents exceeding \$2 per acre in 1932, was expressed in a communique issued by the Rubber Growers' Association, which points out that the rents in Malaya are very much higher than those in the Dutch Indies and some other rubber-producing countries, which thus were distinctly at an advantage in competition. Production costs can be reduced to a considerable extent with lower rents in force. — Reuter.

REWARD FOR MURDER OF GEORGE FUNG STARTLING EVIDENCE IN SUPREME COURT

OBJECTIONS OVERRULED

PRISONER SITS STOLIDLY CALM AS STORY TOLD.

E. T. S. Zimmern, over the admissibility of whose evidence counsel waged a long legal argument on Wednesday last, told the story of a plot of Cheng Kwok-yau to murder George Fung, when he was recalled to the witness stand in Supreme Court to-day. Fung, shot down on the night of March 24, was a love-rival of Cheng, who is charged with the instigating of the man's murder.

Zimmern's evidence was of a sensational nature, counsel for the defence objected to it at a previous day's hearing, but Sir Joseph Kemp, Chief Justice, ruled that the witness should proceed to-day, still subject to objection of defence.

Zimmern told of a meeting in the Nathan Hotel with Cheng and Sidney Christie, when the subject of Fung's murder was discussed. Cheng had said to Christie on that occasion, in said: "I have decided to admit the evidence of Zimmern and Christie. I have definite reasons for that decision. I think it better not to give them now."

His Lordship added that the point was still reserved for objection by defence counsel under section 78, if they so desired. Regarding the admissibility of evidence of a certain statement made in Shanghai, His Lordship said that he understood that the Crown did not press for the evidence to be admitted. One possible course would be to strike it out.

Mr. Potter—I leave it to Your Lordship entirely. His Lordship—I think perhaps I had better strike it out. Mr. Potter, although not objecting to this course, pointed out that the evidence had already been given before the Jury.

His Lordship concurred, and stated he personally thought the evidence was admissible. It was left upon the records.

Zimmern on Stand. Edward Thomas Spencer Zimmern entered the witness stand and continued his evidence at 10.10 a.m.

Replying to Mr. Lindell, for the Crown, Zimmern said he first had conversation with the accused regarding the latter's associations with Lai Ming-fai, on or about March 12 or 13. They next had conversation on this point about March 16.

Mr. Lindell—Under what circumstances did that conversation take place?—Accused—And myself were on our way home to 50 Village Road, from West Point, at about two a.m. Cheng was in tears. I asked him what was the matter, and he said that he was thinking of Lai Ming-fai, and he asked me if I could get him a knife or a dagger.

I asked him what he wanted a dagger for. Zimmern continued. He said he wanted to go for Fung. I said: "It is so late now, where can I get a dagger or a knife for you?"

Mr. Lindell—Anything further?—He asked me to accompany him over, but I persuaded him not to go. Accused said to me, "You talk a lot, but when it comes to action, you are a coward." He dismissed me when we arrived at 50 Village Road. I thought.

Mr. Lindell—Never mind what you thought. Zimmern continued. "I said outside someone else's house for a long time, and then I saw a man really looking at me, and I thought."

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CRICKET.

SUSSEX DEFEAT GLAMORGAN.

Langridge 9 For 65 And Wensley 8 For 91.

"DULEEP" ENFORCES FOLLOW ON AT 156.

Now Close On Leaders.

London, To-day.
Sussex, after receiving a set-back at the hands of Kent in their last match, made up for lost time yesterday when they routed Glamorgan at Swansea to register their twelfth success of the season. They are now second in the table with 221 points—14 behind Yorkshire with a game in hand.

Sussex took first use of the wicket and compiled the moderate total of 272. Glamorgan also found the wicket difficult and collapsed sensationally before James Langridge (4 for 30) and Wensley (4 for 38) and failed by seven runs to save the follow on.

Holding a lead of 156 runs and realising that Sussex would gain little advantage from a second knock, K. S. Duleepsinhji enforced the follow-on. His policy was completely justified by James Langridge and Wensley, who both continued in deadly form. Glamorgan were dismissed in three hours for 184, Langridge taking 5 for 35 to give him 9 for 88 in the match, and Wensley 4 for 83 to give him a total of 8 for 91.

Scores as cabled by Reuter were as follow:
Sussex: 272.
Glamorgan: 86 (Langridge 5 for 35, Wensley 4 for 38).
Sussex: 184 (Langridge 5 for 35, Wensley 4 for 38).
Glamorgan: 184 (Langridge 5 for 35, Wensley 4 for 38).

U.S. ATTITUDE ON MANCHURIA.

Opposes Japanese Control In China.

WASHINGTON WATCHES.

Debuchi-Stimson Talk Explained.

New York, To-day.

Inquiry at New York confirms the reason for and substance of the conversation during Mr. Debuchi's call upon Mr. H. L. Stimson, contained in "The Times" Washington despatch cabled earlier.

Mr. Debuchi also explained that General Muto was now Japan's supreme diplomatic military representative in Manchuria and will be under the Premier, instead of the War Ministry.

The State Department is watching the situation closely, according to the Baltimore Sun, but believes the Japanese War Ministry will continue to control Manchuria.

LONDON SWELTERS UNDER HEAT WAVE.

Highest Temperature In Two Years.

London, To-day.

The highest temperature for two years was recorded in London yesterday when the thermometer reached 83 degrees in the shade and 105 degrees in the sun.

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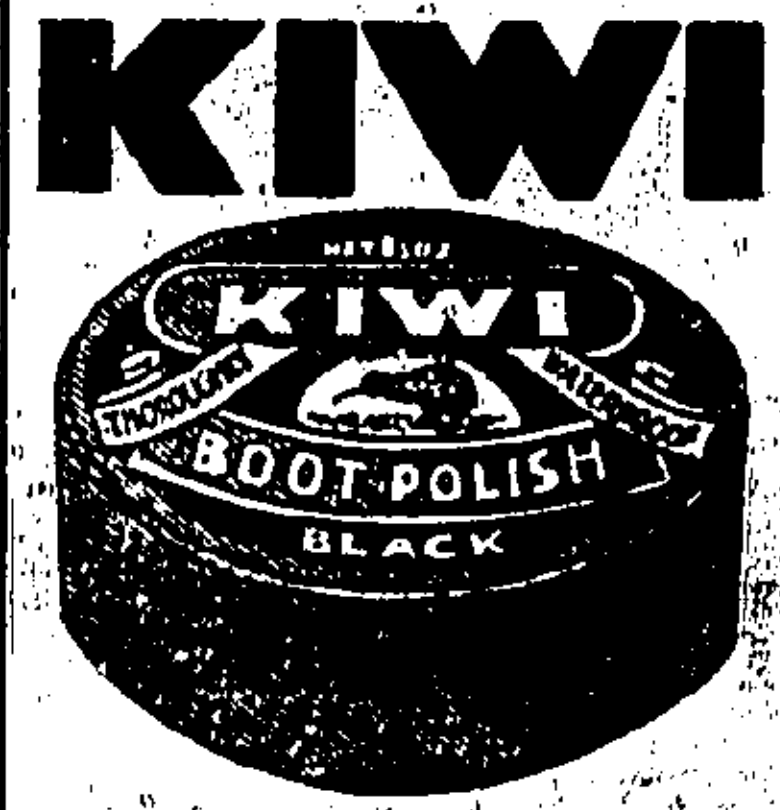
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ROUND HONG KONG'S CINEMA THEATRES

MAIL REVIEW

"WICKED"—KING'S THEATRE.

"Wicked," Fox's latest release starring Elissa Landi and Victor McLaglen, is enjoying phenomenal success at the King's Theatre.

Miss Landi, of European stage and screen fame, has definitely proved her worth as an artist of great dramatic ability and joins in the long ranks of stars who have captured audiences and held them spell-bound. In "Wicked" she transcends the most enthusiastic anticipation of her success.

Victor McLaglen who plays the leading male role needs no introduction or praise. His vital and magnetic personality gives the finishing touch to a vibrating drama, masterfully and realistically directed by Mr. Allan Dwan.

MAIL REVIEW

"SHE WANTED A MILLIONAIRE"—KING'S THEATRE.

The charming innocence of Miss Joan Bennett, and the awkward, overwhelming love-making of Spencer Tracy are cleverly exploited in Fox's romantic drama, "She Wanted a Millionaire" which will be presented at the King's Theatre on Sunday next.

The annual Miss America beauty contest gives Joan the long hoped-for opportunity of meeting and marrying a millionaire. She realizes her ambition for clothes, mansions, Paris and luxury, but within a short time discovers that she has given herself into the keeping of a madly-jealous husband, who had sadistic tendencies. It is then that the dog-like devotion of Spencer Tracy comes to free her from a terrible situation.

The breeziness with which Mr. Tracy portrays the role of the hick-town lover cannot fail to delight the public. Mr. James Kirkwood as the mad millionaire is adequately terrifying. Miss Una Merkel also gives an excellent performance as the man-hunting pre-agent for the beauty contest.

MAIL REVIEW

"THE CHAMP"—QUEEN'S THEATRE.

An ex-pugilist striving to "come back," an adored and adoring small son; and the age-old dilemma of selfish love or heroic sacrifice. This is the human interest in Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer's vivid new drama, "The Champ" which will be presented at the Queen's Theatre on Sunday next.

Wallace Beery, whose villainous

portrayals in the past have never ceased to hold and provoke, to mirth appreciative audiences throughout the entire globe, is the former fight champion. Little precocious Jackie Cooper of "Our Gang" fame, is his small son. The scene is laid in a Mexican town miraculously set up in a Hollywood studio.

It is impossible to depict adequately on paper the pathos with which Beery finally makes his decision to give his son the proper advantages and environment of life. With him, the audience is torn between the selfishness of parental love and the desire to give a beloved son the chance for betterment.

"The Champ" is a first-rate talkie and does infinite credit to King Vidor, the director, and to Frances Marion, the author who was also responsible for that great work, "The Big House."

MAIL REVIEW

"TOUCHDOWN"—ORIENTAL THEATRE.

Jack Oakie is here again in "Touchdown," the Paramount feature at the Oriental Theatre.

The production, which is a dedication to the memory of the late Knute Rockne, provides innumerable thrills and sustained interest, in particular for football enthusiasts. Richard Arlen heads a cast of present and former football players in America, to give appreciative audiences all the breath-taking play of a first-rate football game.

Jack Oakie, with his usual enjoyable nonsense, barely keeps the audience from becoming hysterical.

MAIL REVIEW

"WINGS"—CENTRAL THEATRE.

One of the most remarkable sound synchronization films ever made was presented at the Central Theatre yesterday. "Wings" is the Paramount epic of the "Aces of the World War" (War), and is a marvellous piece of realism that records for all time, the war as it was fought in the air in 1917 and 1918.

The tramping of thousands of feet; the falling of stricken aeroplanes; the rapid, blazing of machine-guns and musical accompaniment of heart-stirring beauty, have well-merited the unanimous praise of newspaper critics throughout the world.

The production is a stupendous achievement of Director Wellman, and is one which nobody should miss.

RADIO TO-DAY'S PROGRAMME

The following programme will be broadcast to-day from the Hong Kong Broadcasting Station Z.B.W. on a wavelength of 355 metres (845 K.C.'s):—

5-7 p.m.—Chinese Programme.
7-10.30 p.m.—European Programme of Victor & H.M.V. records.
7 p.m.—Stock Quotations, etc.
7.3-7.15 p.m.—Children's Programme.

Halfway Down—Hoppy—Growing Up (Milne & Fraser-Simpson), George Baker B2220.
The Fairy Adventures of Molly & Jack with Galloping Gus B2630.
Lines & Squares—Vespers (Milne & Fraser-Simpson), George Baker B2222.

7.15-7.29—Suite Francaise (Foulds), The Band of H. M. Coldstream Guards cond. by Lieut. G. Evans B2751/2.

7.29-7.56—Quartet in E Minor (Smetana) (From My Life), Flonzaley Quartet M63.

8 p.m.—Local Time & Weather Report.
7.56-8.30 p.m.—Orchestral Dream (Joyce), The Druid's Prayer (Davison), The London Palladium Orchestra B3582.

Along the Banks of the Volga (Borchert), Marek Weber & His Orchestra B3337.

Spanish Serenade (Bizet), Spanish Dance No. 1 (Moszkowsky), New Light Symphony Orchestra B2584.

The Three Concerned Hat Suite (De Falla), New Light Symphony Orchestra B2721/2.

8.30-9.30 p.m.—A Concert.

Song—The Wren (Benedict), Orpheus With His Lute (Sullivan), Mavis Bennett (Soprano) B2762.

Cello Solo—Song Without Words in D (Mendelssohn), (a) Songs My Mother Taught Me, (b) Flight of the Bumble Bee (Rimsky Korsakov), Pablo Casals 7198.

Vocal Trio—When the Cocks Begin to Crow (Purcell), Eton Boating Song (Kaps), Eton College Musical Society B2774.

Piano Duet—Impromptu-Rocco (Schutt), Valse from "Suite for 2 Pianos," Harold Bauer and Ossip Gabrilowitsch with two Pianos B162.

Song—In an Old-Fashioned Town (Squire), Walt (D'Arango), John Turner (Tenor) B2205.

Violin Solo—Chant D'Espagne (Samazeuilh), (a) La Cancion Del Olvido (Serrano-Persinger), (b) Rondo (Spohr-Persinger), Master Yehudi Menuhin 7317.

Song—Bird of Love Divine (Haydn Wood), Valley of Laughter (Sanderson), Mavis Bennett (Soprano) B2572.

Piano Solo—Polonaise (Chopin), Ignace Jan Paderewski 7381.

Humorous Song—Geranium, Half-Past Nine, Nellie Wallace B2906.

Fox Trot—Pill Love You in my Dreams, Think a Little Kindly of Me, Henry Busse & His Orchestra 22876.

Humorous Song—Toasts, Down in our Village in Zummerset, Norman Long B2296.

Duet for two pianos—Dance of the Paper Dolls, Ragamuffin, Victor Arden & Phil Chman 21929.

Humorous Song—That Must Have Been Our Walter, River, Stay 'Way from my Door, Gracie Fields B3824.

Fox Trot—Along With my Dreams, Nat Shilkret & the Victor Orchestra.

Waltz—Lazy Louisiana Moon, Hilo Hawaiian Orchestra 22384.

Vocal Quartet—My Isle of Golden Dreams, Lonesome—That's All, National Cavaliers 22347.

Orchestral—Salut D'Amour (Love's Greeting), Victor Concert Orchestra.

Instrumental—Serenade, Victor String Ensemble 22599.

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FORMER RESIDENT PASSES AWAY.

Mr. P. T. Lamble Dies Near Nagasaki.

ACTIVE SPORTSMAN.

The death occurred at Shimabara, near Nagasaki on August 1 last, of Mr. Philip Thomas Lamble, formerly of the Sanitary Department here, from which service he retired in 1928, holding the post of Superintendent of Works and Staff. He was long associated with cricket and lawn bowls, in both of which he played for the Civil Service Cricket Club.

Mr. Lamble was born in 1871. It was in December, 1901, that he was appointed Senior Sanitary Inspector. He continued in that post until January, 1920, when he was appointed Senior Inspector of Personnel, which post became changed in title and status in 1923, to that of Chief Inspector. It was in recognition of his valuable services that the special post of Superintendent of Staff and Works was created in 1925.

Mr. Lamble had made a special study of the malaria problem in Hong Kong. He was made a member of the Royal Sanitary Institute and was later appointed a member of the local Board of Examiners of the Institute.

Mr. Lamble was a keen and an enthusiastic sportsman and for many years played for the Civil Service Club as a bowler and a wicket-keeper. For a good many years, Mr. Lamble was the Chairman of the Civil Service Cricket Club. When he retired was the Vice-Chairman.

Mr. Lamble was one of those responsible for the formation of the Hong Kong Branch of the Rationalist Press Association, of which he became the President. The Book Club also owed its inception largely to his interest.

ALTITUDE FLIGHT POSTPONED.

Zurich, Yesterday. Prof. Piccard has been warned by meteorologists that the conditions will not be good for his effort to beat his own altitude record of nearly 10 miles, and that it will have to be again postponed, although the defect in the instrument causing the previous postponement has now been repaired.

The King and Queen of the Belgians are in Zurich and to-day visited Prof. Piccard—Reuter.

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Song—You Can't Stop me From Loving You, Little Girl, Patrick Waddington (Baritone) B3989.

10.30 p.m.—Rugby Mid-day Press News.

10.35 p.m.—Close Down. All records in the above European programmes are kindly supplied by Messrs. S. Moutrie & Co.

SHADOWS BEFORE

COMING EVENTS ADVERTISED IN CHINA MAIL.

Social Functions.

To-day—Tea Dance at King's Restaurant; Dinner Dances at Hong Kong and Peninsula Hotels and King's Restaurant.

Entertainments.

To-day—King's Theatre; "Wicked."

To-day—Queen's Theatre; "The Sin Ship."

To-day—Central Theatre; "Wings."

To-day—Majestic Theatre; "Love Parade."

To-day—Star Theatre; "Atlantic."

To-day—World Theatre; "Reminiscences of Peking."

To-day—Garden Theatre; "Captain of the Guard."

To-day—Oriental Theatre; "Touchdown."

"GUILTY" PLEA IS WITHDRAWN.

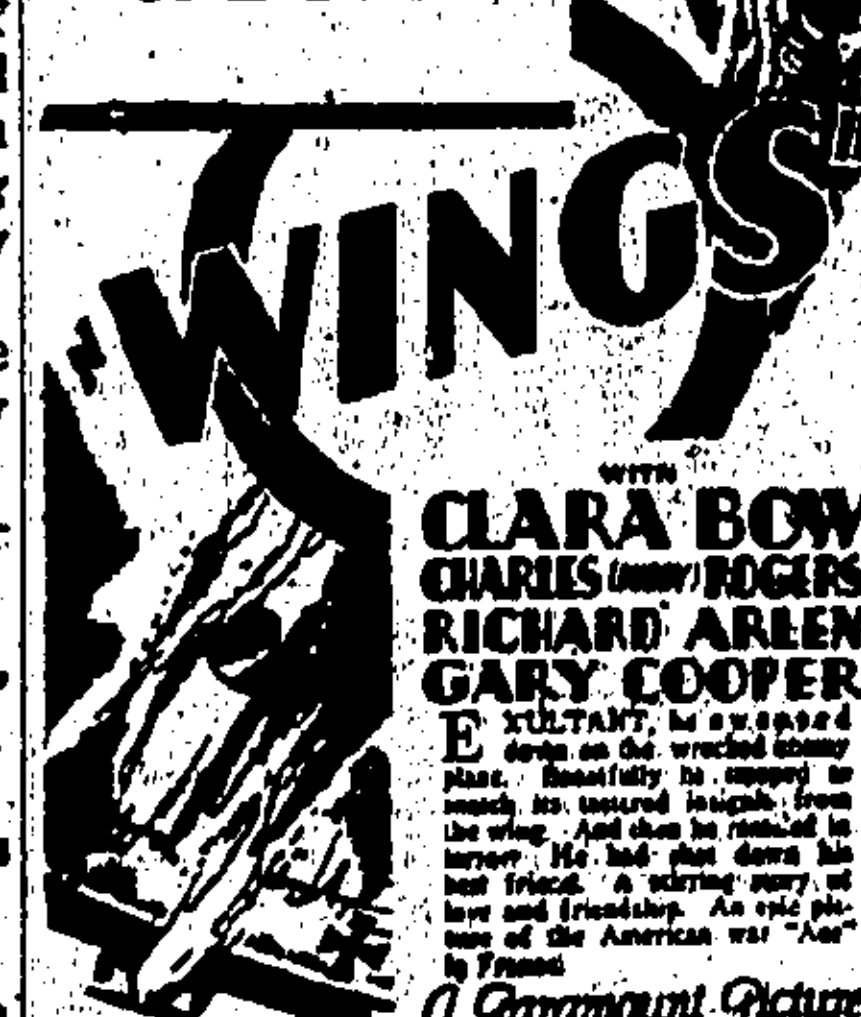
Permission to withdraw pleas of guilty to charges of possession of 1,400 pounds of dutiable tobacco was granted by Mr. Schofield at the Central Police Court yesterday afternoon, when Mr. Leo d'Almada jr. appeared on behalf of three Chinese who were arrested while loading sacks on to a motor lorry in Shaikwan on July 27.

Mr. E. W. Hamilton (Superintendent of Imports and Exports) prosecuted, and Mr. Leo d'Almada represented all three defendants. After evidence had been given the hearing was adjourned.

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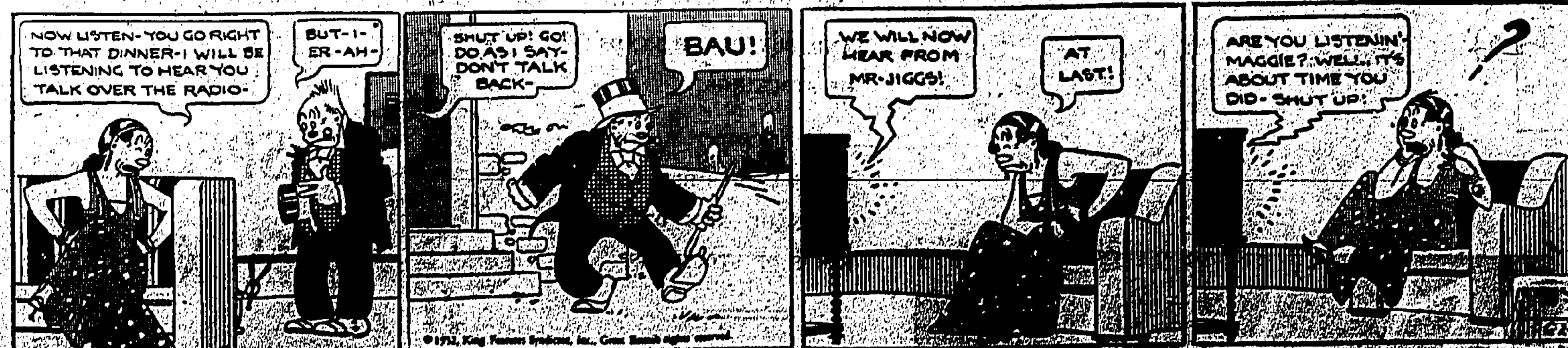
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Auspicious Debut In Summer Tourney.

RESULTS TO DATE.

The Fui Shing football eleven made an auspicious debut in the Chinese Summer Football Tournament yesterday when they scored five times without reply from the Hong Kong Hotel at Caroline Hill.

The Summer Football Tourney, which is run under the auspices of the Chung Wah A.A. and for a silver trophy presented by Dr. Wu, has this year attracted nine teams. The Mui Dai is now the only combination which has not yet commenced play.

The following are the results to date:—

Soong Ching	6	Electric Co.	0
Sam Kwong	4	Kwok Wah	0
Ching Ning	3	Electric Co.	0
Ching Wu	3	Soong Ching	2
Fui Shing	5	H.K. Hotel	0

RADIO HOCKEY XI.

The following will represent the Radio Sports Club hockey eleven against the 3/9th Jut Regiment on the Marina ground this afternoon at 5.30 p.m.:—

S. Singh; B. Singh, J. Singh; Hamid, G. Jack, J. T. K. Gilchrist; A. E. P. Guest, G. Singh, Awa Singh, K. Singh, and A. V. Douveya.

Reserves: M. Singh, H. Singh, and Atta Singh.

Referee: Mr. Hassian.

ST. JOSEPH'S FOOTBALL.

Footballers and all those interested are reminded that St. Joseph's College Football Club is holding a meeting this afternoon at 5.15 p.m. at the office of Messrs. N. S. Moses and Co., Ltd.

Round The Greens By "Straight Wood"

The Police have at last "broken their duck" in cricket parlance and I am sure that all bowlers will join in congratulating them on achieving what seemed for them the impossible. That they should win away from home makes their victory still more meritorious, as also does the fact that Moss's rink, the last to finish, scored a good five on the last head to bring home the spoils. They visit Kowloon again tomorrow to play the Kowloon Cricket Club, but I do not think they will win this week, especially in view of the Cricketers' splendid win against the Civil Service last Saturday.

Recreio's Only Hope.

The real enthusiasts will of course go to see the Club de Recreio play the league leaders at King's Park. Craigengower experienced an uncomfortable time against Tai Koo last week and it is to be hoped, for their sakes, that they are not getting stale. Their Spey Royal rink, deservedly lost against the Club de Recreio choice last Sunday and I venture to prophesy that the Portuguese team, inspired by this success will retain the points. By so doing they would make the First Division open once again and it is their only chance to achieve championship honours this year. Luz, by his brilliant play against Holland on Tuesday evening and in a slightly lesser degree against Craigengower on Sunday when he was opposed to Bradbury as skip, showed that he is at the top of his form.

His exhibition against Holland was superb, a remark which, in passing, applies also to Nish and Grimmit, who beat Nichol and W. Russell (an ex-champion), respectively, during the week.

Docks Should Lose.

The game between the Civil Service and Kowloon Dock, both of whom lost last week, should result in a win for the former, who are playing at home. A win would place the home team in a good position. If Craigengower go down in the game at King's Park.

K.B.G.C. Ground Advantage.

The Kowloon Bowling Green are now the wooden spoonists in Company with the Police, who have had fewer shots scored against them. Tai Koo are the visitors to the Bowling Green to-morrow and a very even game should be seen with the home team winning by a small margin by reason of their ground advantage.

SECOND DIVISION.

The junior teams of the two last named clubs meet at Tai Koo and as they are level on points the ground advantage theory should again decide the issue in this match, although there will not be much in it either way.

Craigengower's Chance.

I expect to see Craigengower pull off another comfortable victory against the Club de Recreio on their own ground. A win in this match will practically ensure the championship for them as the most their nearest rivals could do if Craigengower lost all their remaining matches would be to qualify for a play-off, a very remote possibility.

Yacht Club to Win.

The Yacht Club entertain the Kowloon Cricket Club and on form should win by a useful margin, a remark which applies with equal force to the Civil Service Club who have to visit the lowly-placed Electric team.

WEEKLY RULES.

At the beginning of the first head, the player to play first shall place the mat in the centre of the rink, not less than one yard from the ditch, and in all the subsequent heads the leader of the rink which won the immediately preceding head shall place the mat as before stated. It shall, however, be in his option to lay the mat

VII. The Mat—

(1) At the place where the jack lay at the finish of the head, if that place be in the centre of the rink.

(2) Or if the place be not in the centre of the rink, then in a line straight across towards the centre thereof.

(3) Or between where the jack lay at the finish of the head and any place in the centre of the rink, so that the mat shall be not less than one yard from the ditch.

(4) If the jack, at the finish of a head, lies in the ditch, or less than one yard from it, the mat shall, in beginning the new head, be placed not less than one yard from the ditch as above provided.

On all occasions there must be a clear distance of not less than 27 yards between where the front of the mat is placed and the ditch at the opposite end. In the opening paragraph we have a rule which is so consistently broken that to obey it would appear like a trans-

NATIONAL A.A. MEET IN NANKING.

Mr. Chiu Kuang-wah To Represent Hong Kong.

THREE POINTS TO BE RAISED.

Mr. Chiu Kuang-wah is leaving for Nanking shortly to represent the Hong Kong Athletic Promoting Union at the National Athletic Association Congress which opens on Thursday, August 16.

Mr. Chiu was the guest of honour at a farewell dinner given by Mr. Lee Chee-chung, Councillor of the Chinese Bathing Club.

It is understood that Mr. Chiu will raise three points at the Congress:—

- (a) Chinese Boxing.
- (b) Compulsory Physical Training in Schools.
- (c) Women's Athletics.

pression. I refer to the putting down of the mat, which the rule clearly lays down SHALL be laid down by the leading player of the side which won the previous head. Local custom (or is it ultra courtesy?) seems to ordain that the Number One of the losing rink should lay down the mat for his opposite number.

OPEN CHAMPIONSHIP.

Interest in this competition is now growing intense and the semi-finalists will soon emerge from the lesser fry. Nish of the Bowling Green Club has already reached the semi-final round, and will play the winner of the Luz-Grimmit match for the right to contest the final.

In the top half Oswald, who had an easy victory at the expense of Beat, has to play the winner of the all-Portuguese tie—Ozorio and Gutierrez—which I think the latter will win, and I expect to see the Civil Service man to go into the final.

My tip for the title is Luz, who has won this competition previously and who is not likely to be overcome by the importance of the occasion, big as it is to the individuals concerned. He meets Grimmit at Tai Koo on Tuesday next and I am glad to see this Club getting one of the "plums". The winner of this match should beat Nish although the latter is "on the crest of the wave" just at present.

THE HAPPY VALLEY CHAMPIONSHIP.

Starting Times for Sunday.

The following are the starting times for the Happy Valley Championship to be played on Sunday:—

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| 8.10 a.m. | A. P. Hall-Thompson, R. K. Valentine. |
| 8.15 | F. Lobel, A. C. Ellis. |
| 8.20 | A. Leach, D. S. Robb. |
| 8.25 | A. E. Clarke, A. J. W. Doring. |
| 8.30 | R. A. Campbell, R. Young. |
| 8.35 | K. S. Robertson, D. S. Edward. |
| 8.40 | A. O. Brown, C. C. Stark. |
| 8.45 | J. Forbes, G. H. Bond. |
| 8.50 | A. McKellar, W. A. Stewart. |
| 8.55 | R. M. Wood, J. E. Richardson. |
| 9.00 | W. Mulcahy, H. G. Wallington. |
| 9.05 | W. Woodward, A. E. Lissaman. |
| 9.10 | W. S. Hillier, J. J. King. |
| 9.15 | A. B. Stewart, R. M. Henderson. |
| 9.20 | C. E. Moore, R. S. Paterson. |
| 9.25 | R. C. Law, H. U. Ireland. |
| 9.30 | A. Sommerfelt, L. G. S. Dodwell. |
| 9.35 | J. W. Franks, F. J. de Rome. |
| 9.40 | H. H. Mundy, C. W. F. Booker. |
| 9.45 | K. S. Morrison, D. G. Bruce. |
| 9.50 | W. G. Robertson, Dr. J. B. Mackie. |
| 9.55 | A. E. Charman, W. J. Buller. |
| 10.00 | J. B. Ross, O. E. C. Martin. |
| 10.05 | T. C. Barclay, A. MacIndoe. |
| 10.10 | T. C. Monaghan, T. S. Whyte-Smith. |
| 10.15 | C. H. G. Bradley, J. S. Dykes. |
| 10.20 | Dr. I. Newton, Dr. J. A. R. Selby. |
| 10.25 | L. B. Holmes, H. N. Williamson. |
| 10.30 | G. W. Sewell, W. J. Waddington. |

ARGYLLS AQUATIC MEETING.

Headquarter Wing-Win Championship.

McPHEE'S DOUBLE.

The Argyll and Sutherland Highlanders held a very successful swimming meeting at Sham Shui Po yesterday afternoon when Headquarter Wing won the Inter-Company championship with "A" Company worthy runners-up.

At the conclusion of the sports Mrs. Bennett kindly presented the prizes.

RESULTS.

- 25 Yards Dash:—
1. McPhee ("A" Co.).
 2. Jameson (H.Q. Wing).
 3. Kildae ("C" Co.).
- Time: 12 secs.
- 150 Yards Free Style:—
1. Jameson (H.Q. Wing).
 2. Jackson ("B" Co.).
 3. Shearer ("A" Co.).
- Time: 2 mins. 17-4/5 secs.
- High Diving:—
1. Huchison (H.Q. Wing).
 2. Orr (H.Q. Wing).
 3. McNeil ("C" Co.).
- 75 Yards Race:—
1. McPhee ("A" Co.).
 2. Jameson (H.Q. Wing).
 3. Ferguson (H.Q. Wing).
- Time: 45-4/5 secs.
- Boys' Race:—
1. Chapman.
 2. Orr.
 3. McGuire.
- Greasy Pole:—
1. Livingston ("C" Co.).
 2. Hall ("B" Co.).
- Inter-Company Relay:—
1. Headquarters, Wing.
 2. "A" Company.
 3. "C" Company.
- Open Relay:—
1. 20th Battery, R.A.
 2. 12th Battery, R.A.
 3. H.Q. Wing, S.W.B.
- 150 Yards Free Style:—
1. Jameson (H.Q. Wing).
 2. Kildae ("A" Co.).
 3. McPhee ("A" Co., M.G.).
- Time: 2 mins. 3-4/5 secs.
- (Continued in next Column.)

OUIMET TO AVENGE 1930 DEFEAT.

Playing Excellent Golf At the Moment.

Francis Ouimet, captain of the American Walker Cup team, has no intention of being the only American defeated in this year's renewal of the international matches with the leading British amateur golfers.

Two years ago in England Ouimet was the only American loser in the singles matches, and his defeat was by a large margin. The amateur champion this year, however, is playing some of the best golf of his career.

A short time ago he captured the Massachusetts open, defeating a strong field that included among others, Wiffy Cox, Bobby Cruickshank, Johnnie Farrell and Joe Turnesa.

Ouimet has been playing a great deal of golf this year. Only twice has he been over 75, regardless of the course.

VALLEY CAPTAIN'S CUP TO-MORROW AND SUNDAY.

The Captain's Cup (August competition) will be played at Happy Valley to-morrow and Sunday.

MOABITE DIES.

The English stallion Moabite, a son of Phalaris, has died at Tarwyn Park Stud, Sydney, the home of his owner, Mr. Herbert S. Thompson.

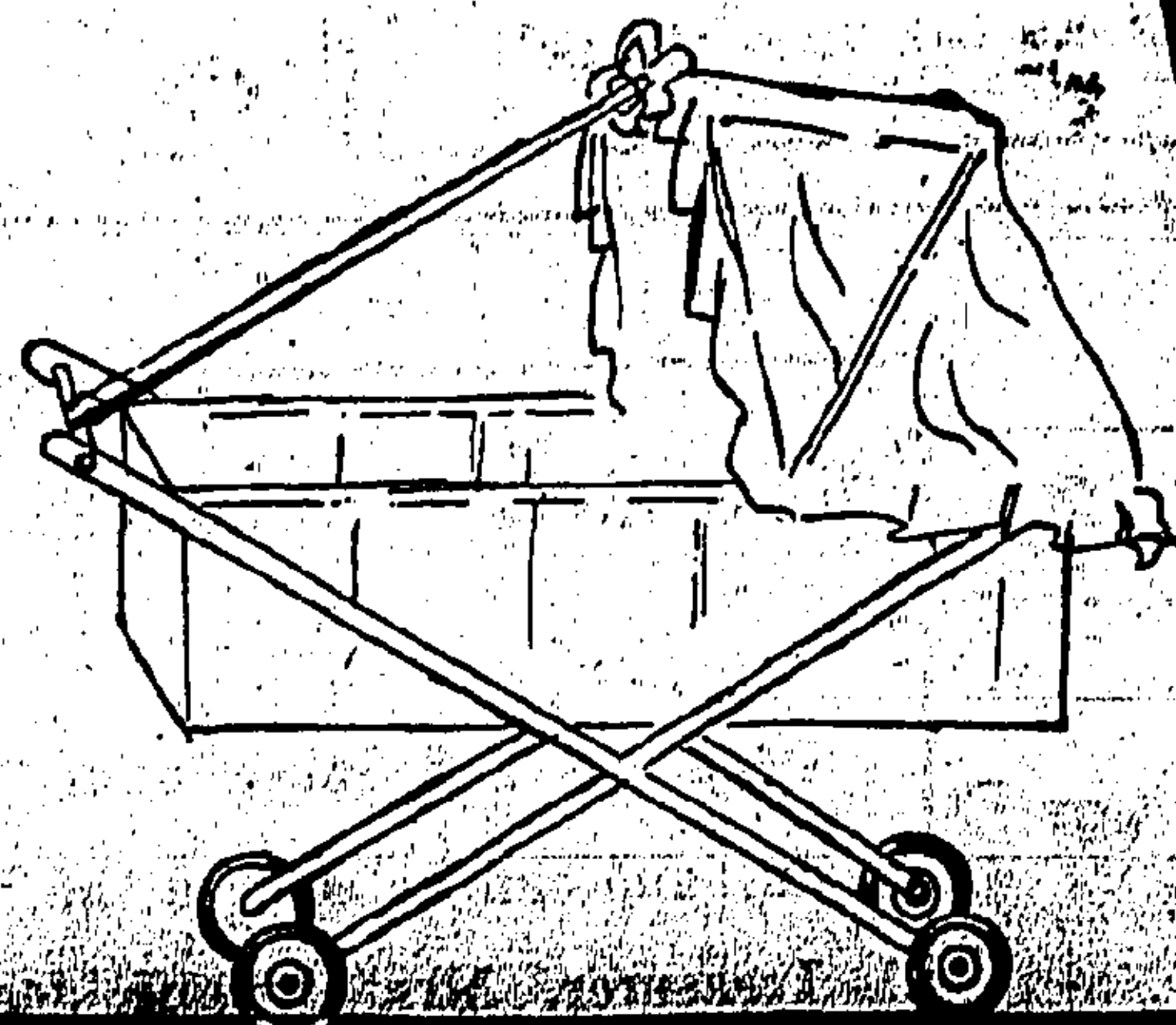
Moabite, who was exported to Australia in 1924, won \$3,000 on the turf.

Officers' Race:—

1. Lt. K. B. L. Davidson.
 2. Lt. E. A. F. McPherson.
 3. Lt. J. A. Maitland.
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- "C" Co. 13
- "B" Co. 7
- "D" Co. 5

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How I Built Up My Stroke Play By Learning To Catch Balls On Rise

SPECIALISE—LIKE THE AMERICANS

(By Fred Perry.)

It did not take me very long to discover that success at games was not entirely dependent upon a natural bent, and that at even a simple kind of game like table tennis a tremendous amount of spade work has to be gone through before effects become anything like a natural achievement.

The realisation at an early age that the outstanding success of the Americans at games was largely due to specialisation—that their golfers did not play tennis and that their baseball players stuck to the "ball game"—helped me, and having made tennis my aim and object, I did not try to dabble at football and cricket.

Value of Table Tennis.
 It was by watching that burly Hungarian, Bela de Kehring, whose lawn tennis strokes I had often admired, playing table tennis that I first recognized that these two games could be made to go more or less hand in hand, and I am convinced now that, in all except one particular, table tennis has enhanced my lawn tennis enormously.

That one particular was the backhand stroke. My backhand stroke at table tennis—may I say without boasting—is one of the best in the world, but at lawn tennis it is my weakness.

I think I may claim to have invented the table tennis backhand. I produce it starting from a point below the level of the ball and bringing the bat over the ball in a semi-circle with a slight flick of the wrist at the moment of impact. The wrist-flick imparts prodigious speed to the ball through the air, and gives it life off the table when it has pitched.

A Weak Combination.
 My lawn tennis stroke works in direct contradiction to these principles. It begins at a point above the level of the ball, works down and under the ball in a semi-circle, and lifts it over the net. The swing is even and unforced, and the wrist held taut throughout the movement. Consequently I found that when I was playing the two games in the same season, my lawn tennis backhand became a kind of combination of two strokes in striking opposition to one another, and a target for any player sufficiently good to "pepper" it.

International table tennis is probably the fastest game there is for footwork. You must be exceptionally quick and ready to jump in either direction, and it takes keen, alert eyes to follow the flight of the little celluloid ball in artificial light.

My First Big Club.
 After a season—winter season—at table tennis I had a first-class knowledge of its requirements—court-craft, footwork, and some confidence in my strokes. I joined the Herka Club at Harrow in 1927, and began to apply this knowledge to lawn tennis. As I have already told you, I had taught myself a chop stroke, which was a good sound one, and I possessed a medium service, but I needed orthodox ground strokes, and so set myself to learn them one by one. First came the forehand, which I used to practice continually until I had developed a fairly well produced shot, upon which I could rely. Then came the backhand, and, by ceasing to play table tennis for a time, and thus eliminating the confusion of ideas, I found this came fairly naturally to me. Volleys and smashes came along in due course, and by then I was "not bad", but I had had to work at the game.

Champion—and Then.
 I was good enough, anyhow, to win the club championship and to play in the first team, and was beginning to be regarded as a young hopeful. Then came a setback. Before I was ready, I began to enter tournaments. I wanted some fun after the drudgery of learning, but as soon as I came up against anything like class players, I soon found that I had not enough time to make my strokes.

This set me thinking hard, and I sought for a reason. It came to me suddenly that whereas I was waiting for the ball to fall below the top of the bound, these other people were hitting it on the rise

and rushing me. I had learnt from table tennis that attack is the best form of defence, and I decided that before I attempted to go any farther, I had to learn to take an early ball.

A Bold Decision.
 This meant very nearly the scrapping of my whole game. All my strokes needed readjustment, but there was nothing for it but to begin a process of adaptation. For the next few months chaos reigned at the Herka Club. I prevailed upon friends to knock the ball over to me so that I could hit at them on the rise, and the results were deplorable. For every one I hit into the net, two would go sailing over the house-tops. Whenever I felt I was beginning to master the idea, I used to take on some of the weaker players in the club in gentle games, and try-out my "new-fangled ideas," as they used to call them. Meanwhile, I had lost my place in the club team, which was rather galling. It was about six months before I really cottoned on to the idea, and then, my timing becoming accurate, I found that I could hit the ball with ease during my run up to the net and still retain my balance. My elation when I knew that I had really mastered the "early ball" idea knew no bounds.

WORLD HOCKEY CHAMPIONS BEAT JAPAN 11 TO 1:

Dhyand Chand and Roop Singh
 Score Four Times.

Los Angeles, Saturday.
 The All-India Hockey XI, champions of the world, won their first match in the Olympic Tournament when they beat All-Japan by 11 goals to 1.

Dhyand Chand and Roop Singh both scored four times and Kermit Singh scored the three remaining goals for the champions. Inchara scored Japan's solitary point.

TENNIS.

HOLDERS ON TOP IN "B" DIVISION.

Clean Sweep Victory
 Against Club.

RECREIO WIN LAST GAME.

At the H.K.C.C. yesterday the Chinese Recreation Club beat the Hong Kong Cricket Club by 9 sets to nil in the "B" Division of the Tennis League.

TABLE TO DATE.

	Sets	P.	W.	L.	D.	F.	A.	Pts.
C.R.C.	7	7	0	0	55%	7 1/2	14	
C.C.C.	7	7	0	0	47	15	14	
S.C.A.A.	7	5	0	0	46%	13 1/2	12	
H.K.U.T.C.	8	4	3	1	35	37	9	
C. de R.	7	3	4	0	31%	31 1/2	6	
A.T.C.	7	3	4	0	28%	38 1/2	6	
I.R.C.	7	1	4	2	22	40	4	
G.S.C.C.	6	1	4	1	19%	34 1/2	3	
H.K.C.C.	6	1	5	0	15	39	2	
K.C.C.	8	0	8	0	18%	58 1/2	0	

"C" DIVISION.

At King's Park yesterday the Club de Recreio beat the Kowloon Cricket Club by 7 sets to 2 to conclude their fixtures.

TABLE TO DATE.

	Sets	P.	W.	L.	D.	F.	A.	Pts.
C. de R.	14	13	1	0	94%	31 1/2	28	
S.C.A.A.	13	13	0	0	100%	11 1/2	26	
G.A.	12	10	2	0	81%	27	20	
Y.M.C.A.	12	7	4	1	64%	43 1/2	15	
A.T.C.	11	6	5	0	54%	46 1/2	13	
I.R.C.	10	5	5	0	45	59	12	
H.K.U.T.C.	10	4	5	1	40	61	12	
G.C.C.	10	3	6	1	30%	54 1/2	9	
R.C.C.	10	2	4	0	25%	52 1/2	8	
H.K.C.C.	10	2	4	1	22%	56 1/2	8	
Philippine C.	10	2	4	1	22%	56 1/2	8	
K.C.C.	11	2	9	0	18%	68 1/2	5	
C.R.C.	12	0	11	1	24%	61 1/2	4	

LIGHT BLUES PROVE DISAPPOINTING.

Surprise Defeat By
 Italian Eight.

CRABBE BEATS TARIS IN
 GREAT FINISH.

Boy Charlton Placed.

Los Angeles, Yesterday.
 The Olympic Rowing Regatta provided a sensation on the very first day. The British eight, which is comprised of the victorious Cambridge University crew and which was considered to be favourite for the event, was surprisingly beaten by the Italian crew in the first heat.

The Italians won by two lengths over the 2,000-Metres course.

The American eight won the other heat and was probably one of the following clubs: Detroit Boat Club, Penn Athletic Club, Springfield Rowing Association or the South Side Club of Quincy.

The Cambridge crew will have to win to-day's row off between the six losers in order to qualify to meet America and Italy in the Final.

The Light Blues were represented by the following:—

1. D. Haig Thomas (Eton and Lady Margaret) (bow) 11 st. 6 lb.
2. K. M. Payne (Eton and Third Trinity) 12 st. 5 lb.
3. T. G. Askwith (Haileybury and Peterhouse) 11 st. 8 1/2 lb.
4. W. A. T. Sambell (Melbourne and Pembroke) 12 st. 6 1/2 lb.
5. C. G. S. Sargel (Monkton Combe and Clare) 12 st. 9 lb.
6. R. N. Rickett (Eton and Third Trinity) 12 st. 11 1/2 lb.
7. D. H. E. McCowen (Cheltenham and Pembroke) 12 st. 1 1/2 lb.
8. L. Luxton (Melbourne and Pembroke) (stroke) 12 st. 2 1/2 lb.
9. J. M. Ranking (Cheltenham and Pembroke) (cox) 6 st. 13 lb.

The Long Beach Marine Stadium, where the race was held, is a fresh-salt water course of sufficient length to contain a splendid 2,000-Metres straight course. Over 100,000 people are expected for to-morrow's Final.

TWO WORLD RECORDS

Clarence Crabbe, the world's greatest short-distance swimmer, gave America further points when he beat Jean Taris, the world-famous French champion, in the 400-Metres Final by a matter of inches in one of the most thrilling finishes ever witnessed in American aquatic events.

Jean Taris, who holds two world records, very nearly failed to make the trip to Los Angeles. He argued that if he travelled with the French team he would be unable to put the finishing touches to his training and would also be unacclimatised before the opening of the Olympic Swimming. The French authorities, realising his tremendous value, waived aside all formalities and allowed him to proceed to America in advance of the remainder of their representatives.

LOSES ONE.

On June 21, Taris broke the world's record for 800-Metres Free Style at Cannes. His time was 10 mins. 16-3/5 secs.—4/5 of a second better than McKino's existing record. He held the world record for the 400-Metres until Crabbe broke it to-day. He has still, however, the 300-Metres.

AUSTRALIAN CHAMPION.
 Andrew (Boy) Charlton, who came in sixth occupying the last place, is the Australian swimmer who recorded two successes in the 1928 Olympics securing second place in both the 400 and 1,500 metre free-style events.

To-day, despite rheumatics, he has lost little of his former power and speed in the water. In the New South Wales championship in Sydney last January, he swam the 880 yards in 10 minutes 22 seconds, only 1-5/5 seconds under the world mark of Clarence Crabbe of Los Angeles.

He won by 50 yards merely paddling along. In the opinion of experts he could have smashed Crabbe's record had he been pushed to it.

FUKIEN WATER-POLO WIN.

At the V.R.C. last night the Fukien seven beat a scratch side from the V.R.C. by 3 goals to 1 in a Water Polo match. The winners thoroughly deserved their success, only the brilliant play of the home goalkeeper keeping the score down to single figures.

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A WHOLE WEEK'S NEWSPAPERS IN ONE.

Unprecedented crowds, including a good sprinkling of women, swarmed the Special Sessions of the Supreme Court on August 8, when the trial of Cheng Kwok-yau (20), the son of a wealthy Ipoh family, who is charged with procuring the murder of George Fung on March 24 last, was commenced. Leading Counsel of the Colony are engaged in the case, which is expected to last a fortnight. Mr. R. E. Lind-sell, opening for the Crown, spoke for close on two hours. Miss Lai Ming-fai, one of the principal witnesses in the case, burst into tears in the witness box, when shown a picture of the murdered man. The case is fully reported in the OVERLAND CHINA MAIL.

Leaping from the verandah of the first floor of a tenement house in Sham Shui Po district, to escape the flames which had swept through the place, a Chinese girl, 12 years old, and middle-aged man, were seriously injured on the night of August 5. The fire occurred at 160 and 102, Pei Ho Street, this being the second serious outbreak in the Sham Shui Po district within a week. The cause of the blaze is a mystery. A report is published in the OVERLAND CHINA MAIL.

Disappointment with the delay in the programme of work on the Shing Mun Valley scheme (second section) planned by Government for the remainder of the year, was expressed by Sir Henry Pollock, K.C., at the meeting of the Legislative Council held on August 4. Sir Henry declared that the sum of \$75,000 to be voted for the work was too trivial. Questions dealing with air mail services between Hong Kong and French Indo-China, Canton and Shanghai, were also discussed. A full report of the meeting is contained in the OVERLAND CHINA MAIL.

John Kanis (36) married to a pretty Russian girl only a month ago, was found dead in an empty bathtub at the Trocadero Hotel, Hankow Road, in the early hours of August 4. The gas pipe leading to the geyser in the bathroom had been wrenched off at the jointing. The deceased, who was employed as an agent by the Comacrib Directory, only recently returned from Shanghai. A full story is given in the OVERLAND CHINA MAIL.

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The China Mail.

Hong Kong, Friday, Aug. 12, 1932.

Finest Record Of The National Government.

With the House of Commons adjourned and half the Cabinet at Ottawa, a review of the administration of the National Government during its nine months of office is timely. That the verdict is favourable to the Government is without question, and there are many who wish that the Party system could be abandoned forever and the present system continued. There is little likelihood of this ideal being realized, but there are bright prospects of the National Cabinet continuing in office for a fairly long period. The accomplishments since the crisis last autumn have been notable to a degree and the nation can review recent events with a great deal of satisfaction and pride. The achievements of the Government would alone be sufficient to rebut the charge that co-operation means ineffective compromise; but there is further evidence in matters which have not advanced so far. Towards the Irish Free State, in a dispute which the British Government has neither provoked nor embittered, the Government's policy has had certain faults in the manner of its presentation but neither weakness nor hectoring in its character. In the matter of monetary policy the Government has not indeed satisfied all critics, but the critics themselves failed to produce an agreed remedy. The Government have formed a mass of manoeuvre in the Exchange Equalization Account sufficient to prevent violent fluctuations in sterling, and they propose to discuss a wider and more permanent monetary policy both at Ottawa and at the World Economic Conference to be held later. In the field of retrenchment the issues are not so clear-cut as are some other parts of the Government's policy, though Mr. Chamberlain has calculated that, assuming the complete success of the Conversion operation, expenditure next year will be £108,000,000 less than it might have been if nothing had been done. No one, it is true, can measure the full amount of economy which will be

practicable, because much must depend upon success in policies affecting trade, upon future developments of the problem of international debts, upon the results of the Disarmament Conference, and upon the final results of the Conversion operation. But uncertainties about consequential economies constitute all the more reason why the Government should resolutely pursue economies in matters entirely within their own control. No Government will be able to claim complete success or justification for its policy until taxation has been reduced. The present Government therefore have no right to rest (and indeed show no symptom of resting) on their laurels. Much remains to be done; but what has been done has earned for the Government greater prestige among its supporters and greater cohesion between its members even than existed in the first flush of victory at the elections. Ministers are certainly a strong team. The Prime Minister himself clearly feels happier in the present House of Commons now than he did when it first assembled. He always had the authority of his position and now he has the authority of achievement. Mr. Baldwin has never been better suited than by his present position. Mr. Chamberlain's reputation suffered some decline during his conduct of a "grim" Budget, chiefly because he failed sometimes to catch the temper of his audience, but he has recently gained ground by his presentation of the Conversion scheme and by his speech on the Lausanne Conference. Mr. Runciman has not been so much in the limelight, but he retains the reputation which he won in the early days of the Session.

Personal Pars.

Lieutenant J. H. G. Black arrived here this morning from Shanghai on the s.s. Rawalpindi.

Mr. R. L. Wyllie was among the passengers from Shanghai disembarking from the s.s. Rawalpindi this morning.

Among the arrivals in the Colony this morning were Mr. and Mrs. F. Hsu who disembarked from the P. and O. s.s. Rawalpindi.

Judge Sir Peter Grain returned to Shanghai yesterday on the s.s. Malwa, following the sessions of the Full Court of Appeal here, recently.

Correspondence.

The Hong Kong and Kowloon Property Owners' Association.

[To the Editor of "China Mail"]
July 5, 1932.

The Hon. Dr. R. H. Kotewall, C.M.G., LL.D.,
The Hon. Dr. S. W. Ts'o, O.B.E., LL.D.,
The Hon. Mr. T. N. Chau, M.A., Barrister-at-law.

Sirs,—On behalf of the Hong Kong and Kowloon Property Owners' Association, I have the honour to inform you that a meeting of members was held on the 28th ultimo for the purpose of reviewing the whole question concerning rider mains.

I have much pleasure in transmitting the resolution which was passed, together with a copy of the proceedings at that meeting.

I have the honour to be,

Sirs,

Your obedient servant,

Li Hoi Tung.

Hon. Secretary.

Proceedings of meeting held on Tuesday, 28th June at 3.30 p.m. to review questions affecting the rider main system.

Owing to the Chairman being engaged elsewhere and the Vice-Chairman being indisposed, Mr. Li Hoi Tung, Hon. Secretary took the Chair.

The Chairman welcomed the presence of Mr. Ho Kam Tong, C.B.E., whom he called on to speak.

Mr. Ho Kam Tong addressed the meeting.

The meeting was thrown open to general discussion.

It was the feeling of those present that the arguments advanced by government for the abolition of the rider main system, as reported in the local Chinese press, were inadequate and may be effectively answered.

Judging from developments which have taken place, it certainly seemed that Government was about to suggest the introduction of universal meterage. Such a step was, in the opinion of those present, not propitious and would be in any case, a breach of faith on the part of Government.

It should be noted that the rider main system was devised by Government on the recommendation of Government experts specially brought out from England (Mr. Chadwick and Mr. Simpson). The cost of installing that system was paid by the owners of houses in what is now known as the rider main district. Contributions were only made possible on the strength of a quid pro quo, which Government has now the intention of withdrawing. The amount contributed was five lakhs, a not inconsiderable sum, taking into consideration the higher purchasing power of the dollar 30 years ago.

At any rate, the time has not yet come for the introduction of universal meterage. Such a step would require not only a sufficient supply of meters to cope with all demands, but that a sufficient supply of water exists. If short rations be not unexpected even if meters were installed, a meter would only become an added burden.

It was finally suggested that a modus vivendi may be found by Government reconnecting temporarily all houses in the rider main district and providing a supply of 8 hours. If the storage in reservoirs does not warrant such a step in addition to 24 hours now given to meter holders, a reduction in the hours of supply should then be made in the latter case.

On the introduction of universal meterage, it is not reasonable to presume that the whole rider main system is to be scrapped. Could it not and would it not most probably be incorporated in the present system of water works in which case some sort of compensation should be paid?

The introduction of universal meterage really amounts to increased taxation, and if increased taxation were needed, then in fairness to houses in the rider main district and as some sort of compensation, meters should be installed free of charge, with a lower rent and a lower charge for water.

Meters should also be provided for each floor where the houses are let by the floor to ensure economy and an effective supply. If water restrictions should again arise.

The following resolution was then carried unanimously:

In view of the severity of the supply to the rider mains, while other houses are given a full supply, which conclusively proves that the rider main system is not the desired policy of Government, in the

near future, to abolish the rider main system. It is resolved that the Chinese representatives on the executive and legislative Councils be requested to take the matter up with Government to do their utmost to preserve a system which has stood the test of thirty years, the abolition of which would constitute a breach of faith on the part of Government, and should in no case be contemplated unless the Colony is assured of an adequate supply of meters and a freedom from water famine. It is further resolved that any scheme for the introduction of universal meterage should take into consideration:—

1. the free installation of meters.
2. a lower rent for meters and/or a lower charge for water.
3. the provision of separate meters for each floor, where houses are let by the floor, which is the only practical means of

(a) ensuring an equal supply to all floors, should restrictions arise, and
(b) effectively preventing waste.

POPULAR CHINESE WEDDING.

Miss Irene Lee and Mr. Fred Fung.

Miss Irene Yuen-han Lee, eldest daughter of Mr. Lee Koon, was married to Mr. Fred Fung at St. Paul's Church yesterday afternoon.

Miss Lee is a former student of Lingnam University. After returning from Hawaii, she became assistant in the English Department of the Sun Yat-sen University.

The bridegroom is a graduate of Michigan University, and now Chemist of the Canton Municipality and lecturer at Lingnam University.

TRADE PACT NEARER AT OTTAWA.

(Continued from Page 1.)

ties for an increased British trade with the Dominion and lay the foundation of a considerably more comprehensive commercial expansion in the future.

The feeling of optimism at Ottawa has been regained by this new trend of events.

Britain and Canada are on the verge of an agreement, according to a well-informed Canadian source. The question of Russian dumping is said to be out of the way, Britain having agreed to secure legislative authority to

News In Brief.

The forthcoming marriage is announced of Mr. G. J. B. Shuld, merchant, The Peak, and Miss Imgart Thimey of Berlin.

Lai Choi, a carpenter, 20, was admitted to the Kwong Wah Hospital suffering from head wounds inflicted by a fellow workman during a quarrel.

Mr. Fan Kei-mo, former Commissioner of Finance, Canton, returned to Hong Kong from Fukien yesterday. He will proceed to Shanghai aboard the C.P.S. Empress of Russia to-day.

On August 19 Major V. E. Duclos, Canadian Government Trade Commissioner in Hong Kong, will leave on his first official tour to Amoy, Foochow and Swatow, on the s.s. Hai Ning.

Mr. B. E. Sugars, Storekeeper at the Public Works Department, residing at No. 20, Limoon Buildings, reports that his car, an Austin Seven value \$1,000, was removed from the Salisbury Road car park between 7 p.m. and 1.45 a.m. yesterday.

The body of an unknown Chinese male, about 30, was recovered from the harbour yesterday. He was travelling on the Yaumati ferry from Hong Kong, when, about half way across, he jumped overboard with the obvious intention of committing suicide.

John Fletcher, 24, Carnarvon Road, reports that his son Frank, 8, was bitten on the left knee by a black chow dog, owned by Mr. Stoyke of 8B, Salisbury Avenue. The boy was treated at the Kowloon Military Hospital, and the dog was sent to Mataukok for observation.

The symphonic concert to be held at the Peninsula Hotel on Sunday next, as will be seen by the programme advertised to-day, embodies excellent attractions. There is a good selection of instrumental items, and once again will be heard the delightful soprano, Mrs. P. St. A. Sharp, who has sung before during these functions.

proceed by orders-in-council, under which she will take appropriate action against any country wrecking the market by dumping.

Canada is believed to have agreed to make further concessions in iron and steel, while textiles are being considered. Britain is rumoured to be ready to discuss preferences on wheat and other natural products.—Reuter.

CHANG DETERMINED TO RESIGN

(Continued from Page 1.)

Chiang's Promise.

Shanghai, Yesterday.
It is learned from a reliable source this morning that Marshal Chiang Kai-shek left Hankow yesterday for Kuling, for a personal conference with Mr. Lin Sen, the President of the State Council, over the question of Mr. Wang Ching-wei's resignation.

It is also understood that Chiang Kai-shek has sent a long telegram to Mr. Wang Ching-wei assuring him that he (Chiang) will hold himself responsible for the Manchurian issue, and that he would start his preparations after the extermination of the bandit menace in the Central China provinces.

Concluding the telegram is an appeal to Mr. Wang Ching-wei to withdraw his resignation in order that the country shall present a united front against external aggression.

Chow Keng-shen, the representative of Chiang Kai-shek, arrived in Shanghai this morning to present an important letter from Chiang to Wang Ching-wei.

Later, the Marshal telegraphed all the Ministers, urging them to withdraw their resignations.

Marshals Concerned.

Marshals Yen Hsi-shan and Feng Yu-hsiang have issued a joint statement, commenting on the Nanking political crisis and proposing that Marshal Chiang Kai-shek, the real power in the Nanking Government, should permit the resignation of Marshal Chang Hsueh-lang by appointing him head of an official commission to go abroad, while Mr. Wang Ching-wei should be asked to remain in the Executive Yuan.

Marshals Yen Hsi-shan and Feng Yu-hsiang, who are former

ordinates are now military administrators in Shanxi, Honan and Shantung, are watching the Peiping changes closely. They may prove to be a turning point in politics. Marshal Feng Yu-hsiang, who resigned recently from all his Nanking posts and is resting in Tientsin, is strongly opposed to the existing alliance between Marshals Chiang Kai-shek and Chang Hsueh-lang.

Determined to Resign.

It was learned this afternoon that Mr. Wang Ching-wei left Shanghai yesterday for Hangchow, and Mr. T. V. Soong left early this morning by air for the same place, returning at noon.

It is understood that he went to see Mr. Wang Ching-wei.

Mr. Tseng Chung-min, Vice-Minister for Railways interviewed by Reuter this afternoon did not deny that Mr. Wang Ching-wei had gone. He stated that Mr. Wang was determined to resign and had gone to a quiet place to "recuperate his health."—Reuter.

Predictions.

Nanking, Yesterday.
Well-informed persons predict that the Government will eventually accept the resignation of Wang Ching-wei and also that of Marshal Chang Hsueh-lang.

It is intimated that either General Ho Ying-ching, Chiang's second-in-command and trusted lieutenant, or Chu Pei-ku will be placed in command in North China, with General Yu Hsueh-chung as Garrison Commander of Peiping and Tientsin. As to the candidate for the Presidency of the Executive Yuan, in the event of the acceptance of Wang Ching-wei's resignation, Dr. Tsai Yuan-pei has been mentioned as the most hopeful one.—Reuter.

REWARD FOR MURDER OF GEORGE FUNG

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Cheng's Warning.

Asked if he could be more exact as to the date when the second conversation took place, witness replied that it might have been the early morning of March 17. That same afternoon he met accused and was told that Cheng had been over to the Nathan Hotel. Witness asked him if he had seen Fung or the girl, Lai Ming-fai, and accused told witness that through a fake telephone message he got them out of the room, to answer the call and had confronted them. "Pointing my finger at them I said, 'I warn you, you beware.' And then I left them," Cheng said to Zimmern, witness related.

Continuing, Zimmern said that on March 19 he asked the accused about the two men who were supposed to be shadowing Fung. Mr. Lindsell—When did he first make mention of these two men? On that occasion of some previous occasion?—On previous occasions he mentioned that. On the night that he went to the Nathan Hotel he told me that he had two men.

Sir Joseph Kemp—That is ambiguous.

Making the position clear, Zimmern, in reply to Crown Counsel, said that it was on the occasion that he asked him for a dagger that he had spoken of the men who followed Fung.

Mr. Lindsell—You asked him what first?—I asked him how he knew that Fung was stopping on the fourth floor of the Nathan Hotel and in reply accused stated that he had men shadowing Fung, and from them he knew that Fung was living on the fourth floor.

Mentioned A Gun.

Zimmern testified that early on the morning of March 19, he asked the accused how much he was paying for these two men. Accused replied—"You ha chi kung sik, you chin pek." (Zimmern repeated these words in Chinese in court).

Zimmern explained that the "lin chi" meant bullet, and "kung" a gun or the handle of a gun.

The Chinese Court Interpreter explained the text as, "Lotus seeds in sweet water given to him, there will be money to give."

Mr. Lindsell queried the mention of sweet water.

The interpreter further explained that although "kung" meant "gun" it also meant "spoon," but interpreted could not be as "lotus seeds" and "spoon."

Regarding the words "lin chi kung," Zimmern said that he took it to mean "to kill a man on the spot with a gun."

Mr. Lindsell—Is this expression used in Hong Kong? Have you heard it used?

Zimmern—I have often heard it in Yumati.

Anywhere else?—In Hong Hom and Kowloon City.

Then you have heard it used in Hong Kong generally?—Yes.

Zimmern's Offer.

Yes, and what followed after that?—I told him that I was sure people would never carry out his instructions, and added, "Why not leave the matter in my hands?"

Did the accused have anything to say to that?—He said he would see about it.

You said something just now about "putting on the spot." What exactly did you mean?—It means to kill a man.

Yes, I know that; but how did it arise?—Accused spoke to me in Chinese that he had two men, "hau kan," and I understood that among rogues in Shanghai it means to put a man on the spot by firing "crackers."

What did accused mean at the time?—I did not know. It has a double meaning. "Hau kan" means "watching."

At the time you put the ordinary construction on it, that two men were watching Fung?—Yes.

Zimmern then went on to outline his movements and those of accused and a conversation which took place between 11 a.m. and 12 noon at the S.C.A.A., when Cheng said that the two men had failed in his instructions and told Zimmern to "get his crowd together."

Cheng proposed to give a dinner at Yumati and said that he would talk over the matter of giving Fung a "hiding."

Continuing, Zimmern said that at about 2 p.m. in the afternoon, Christie rang him up on the telephone and said that he would have the "boys" together at 8 p.m. at the Majestic Theatre.

Friends Gathered.

Mr. Lindsell—What did accused say to that?—He said alright.

Did the boys meet?—Yes.

Were you there?—Yes, I arrived late, between 8.30 and 8.45.

Was anyone else there?—Yes, Christie, Sousa, and two others.

Are the two others concerned in this case?—No, I sent them away.

What happened then?—Cheng arrived in a taxi at about 9.45 p.m.

And next?—Having met Christie and Sousa, we all walked to the Yee Chan Fong restaurant.

Witness then went on to say that having asked the permission of the accused he asked another man named Tau Pei-shing to join the party.

After arriving at the restaurant they (Cheng and witness) lay on opium divans, and later Sousa arrived with Tau Pei-shing.

"I Have A Friend..."

What matter relevant to this case happened next?—Christie and Sousa were around and Tau Pei-shing and accused were seated at a mah jong table. I was still lying on the divan. Accused said to Tau Pei-shing something like this: "I have a friend who is a rotter, always sponging on women. He owes me money. I have helped him before and I gave him money to get married but he took away my girl. I want you boys to go over to the Nathan Hotel and give him a hiding. I want you to grab him so that I can slap his face and so save my own face."

Yes?—Tau Pei-shing said, "Why not let me have a look at this person first and think the matter over."

And did the accused agree to that?—No, he did not.

Can you say at about what time this conversation took place?—Maybe about 10 to 10.30.

That was early in the proceedings?—Yes.

And then?—We had dinner which accused ordered. At dinner someone asked accused how he knew what floor Fung was living on, and accused replied that he had two men shadowing Fung.

Sir Joseph Kemp: Do you remember what word he used for shadowing?—I cannot recall it, My Lord.

Then what happened?—After dinner between 1 and 2 a.m. we all went over to the Nathan Hotel.

As far as you yourself is concerned, what was the purpose of your visit?—To "beat up" Fung.

"Now, when you got there what happened?—Cheng and Tau Pei-shing went upstairs first.

And what happened finally?—Tau came down and told us to go up.

We went to the third floor.

And when you got there what did you do?—Booked a room No. 409 or

410, I cannot exactly remember.

When you got to the floor did you see accused?—Not until we saw him peeping from the room.

No Answer.

Witness then went on to say how they made an attempt to draw Fung from his room, after they had knocked upon the door of the wrong room. Witness did the knocking in the first instance, but Christie knocked the second time. No one came to the door, although they received an answer from inside the room. Accused at that time was standing down the passage.

After your knock failed to bring anyone from the room, what happened?—Christie and myself went back to our room, No. 409 or 410, and Sousa remained on watch in the passage.

Was anyone else in the room at the time?—No, only accused, Christie and myself.

Yes, and then?—A jar of opium was brought and Cheng and I lay on the bed while Christie sat on a stool at the side of the bed.

What happened then?—Cheng said to Christie "Suppose if I offered you \$10,000, would you do it?" Christie asked him, "Do what," and Cheng replied, "Put Fung away."

Christie asked him how he was to do it, and Cheng said he was to use a gun.

Yes?—Christie said "How am I to get a gun," and Cheng said "It is a pity I am not in Shanghai, for I could get you any amount of guns."

Yes?—A few moments later Christie suggested he could get his friend's gun, but I stopped him immediately on the ground that he had had trouble with that friend before.

Was any other method suggested?—Yes, Christie suggested using potassium cyanide.

Did he mention that actual name?—Preferred Gun.

He said "Why not use poison," and Cheng asked him what kind, and Christie replied "Potassium cyanide."

What did accused say then?—Cheng said he preferred to use a gun.

Witness then described how he left the hotel in company with accused, Christie, and Tau Pei-shing, Sousa being left behind to keep watch.

After going to a shop in Yumati to take some congee, Tau returned to the hotel and the remainder of the party went on foot to the Star Ferry via Nathan Road.

Was there any conversation while you were going to the ferry?—I heard the accused telling Christie that he had a chauffeur whose family were under obligation to him.

Yes?—If Christie would kill Fung, accused said he would have a powerful car and a Chinese long coat waiting when he made his escape.

Did Christie say anything to that?—He was unwilling about the Chinese dress.

Anything else?—Yes, accused mentioned that he had two men shadowing Fung.

How did he come to mention that again?—I could not say.

Mr. Lindsell: What did you do at Star Ferry?—Accused told us not to talk about Fung or our plans, in case we were overheard.

What next?—We went to Hong Kong, and there went for a joy-ride in the accused's baby Austin, No. 4.

What was this date?—On March 21, sir.

Where did you go then?—We went to the Prince's Cafe for breakfast.

Who paid for the meal?—The accused, sir.

Poisoning Discussed.

Did you have any conversation bearing on this case?—Yes, sir.

The accused asked Christie how the poison could best be applied to Fung. Christie replied that it could be used by an injection, or it could be put in a cup of tea.

Mr. Lindsell: Any further conversation?—I cannot recollect, sir.

What was done next?—We all went down to the Tung Shan Hotel, where we booked room No. 50 in a name which was the Chinese equivalent for Christie.

Who paid for the room?—The accused left a \$10 deposit for the room.

Was there any further conversation about your plans?—The accused asked Christie how he knew that the poison would be effective.

Well?—Christie suggested that an experiment be conducted with a chicken. I suggested a guinea-pig.

The Chief Justice intervened at this stage, and asked witness whether he recalled, to go down, Zimmern accepted gratefully, and a chair was brought for him.

Mr. Lindsell: What followed then?—Accused told Christie not to be afraid of the possible consequences as he was under age and would be defended by his father.

There was a smile among the counsel.

and Mr. Potter laughingly whispered a remark to Mr. Jenkins.

Zimmern: I suggested that Mr. Hall be consulted for legal advice.

Purchases Made.

What happened then?—We left the hotel at about 10.15 a.m., and went into town.

Did anything happen en route?—Yes, sir. We stopped at a pharmacy in Des Vaux Road near Jardine, Matheson & Co., and accused asked Christie to buy the poison there.

Did he?—No, sir.

What then?—We went on to the King's Pharmacy in the King's Theatre Building, and Christie went in and came out a short time later with a white package in his hand. He gave it to the accused and told him that it contained potassium cyanide.

What then?—We drove to Fletcher's Pharmacy in the A.P.C. Building, where Christie entered and purchased a hypodermic syringe.

Did accused say anything when he was given the article?—Yes, sir. He said, "How much is it?" Christie replied that it was \$14, and I said, "Why so dear?"

What did accused say to that?—He said, "Never mind even if it's \$14," and withdrew the syringe from the package.

Back To Solicitors.

What then?—We went down to the Statue Square car park, where having told Christie to wait in the Austin car, he and I went to the offices of Messrs. Lo & Lo, Solicitors.

Why did accused elect to go there?—Accused said that he knew Horace Lo, and that the firm had conducted quite a lot of business for his (accused's) family.

Well?—Zimmern: We interviewed Mr. M. W. Lo.

What was said?—Accused said to Mr. Lo: "I have a brother who is a sort of maniac. If he should have a fight with somebody, and kill him, would he be charged for murder?"

What was Mr. Lo's reply?—Mr. Lo said that if the brother were guilty of a charge of killing somebody in a fight, he would be detained in the usual manner.

Mr. Lindsell: Was there anything more said about this imaginary brother?

Mr. Potter objected to the prosecution's method of examining the witness, by putting leading questions to him. His Honour overruled the objection.

Zimmern: Accused told Mr. Lo that his brother was a minor.

Yes?—Mr. Lo suggested that his brother be sent away for a holiday, as, if he killed somebody, he would be charged for murder just the same.

Anything else?—No, Sir.

What did Mr. Lo charge for this consultation?—Five dollars, sir.

Who paid it?—The accused, sir.

Visits To Solicitors.

Zimmern said that the fee was paid by Cheng. The receipt was signed "Cheng something," but not Cheng Kwok-yau. A visit was also made to the offices of Messrs. Hastings, Denny and Bowley, \$10 being paid to Zimmern by the accused for the purpose. After that, they visited Mr. C. Y. Kwan, another solicitor. Cheng then drove witness and Christie back to the Tung Shan Hotel where he left them.

Asked by Mr. Lindsell if he had any idea of assenting to the killing of Fung by poisoning, shooting or any other means, Zimmern replied "No, sir." Zimmern added that they wanted to get accused's money and share it.

Crown counsel—What money did you imagine you would get out of the accused?—He offered \$10,000. I expected at least half, because if he plotted to murder people, he would not dare to report Christie and myself to the Police for swindling him out of his money.

Continuing, witness said the poison was experimented on a chicken at the S.C.A.A., and the chicken died "in two jumps." He was afraid that someone might pick it up and eat it. The chicken, however, had been thrown into a sul tong—reservoir. (Laughter.)

The Court was adjourned at 12.25 p.m. to 2.30 p.m.

MRS. BRUCE STILL IN THE AIR.

London, Yesterday.

Mrs. Victor Bruce is still in the air, following successful re-fueling. This morning it was found possible to provide her with a hot breakfast and newspapers.

Mrs. Bruce said that she was feeling a little cold, so some sweaters will be transferred to her machine.

It was erroneously stated that the record Mrs. Bruce hopes to break is 62½ hours, but actually it is 64½, which was registered by the Americans—O'Brien and Jackson—Beuter.



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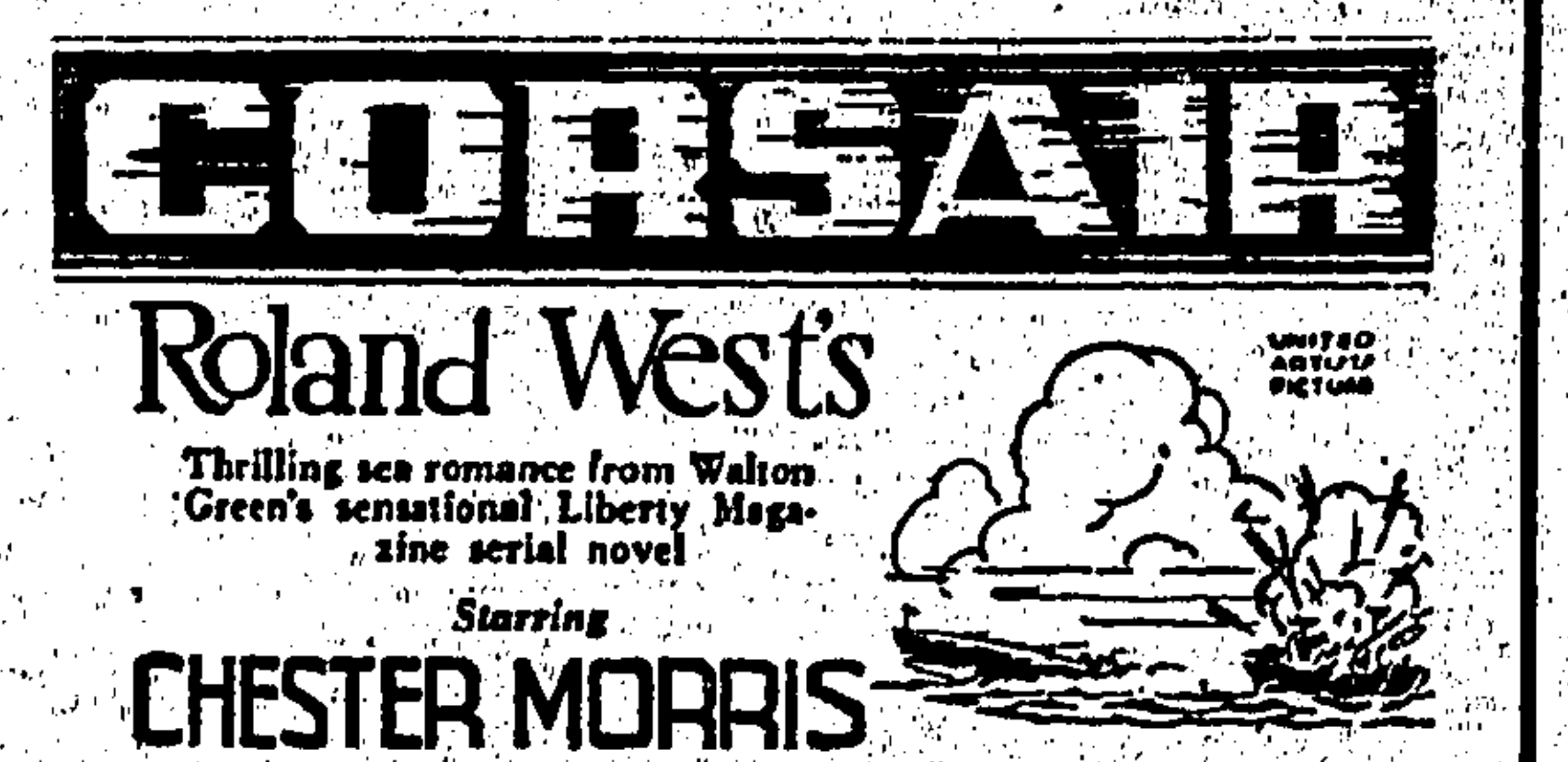
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By Order of the Committee.

F. G. MAUNDER,
Acting Secretary.

Hong Kong, 12th August, 1932.

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1	100 ft. by 100 ft.	100	\$100
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4	100 ft. by 100 ft.	100	\$100
5	100 ft. by 100 ft.	100	\$100
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1 Transmission wheels.

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Hong Kong, 11th August, 1932.

GENERAL NOTICES.

NOTICE.

THE SANITARY BOARD wishes to draw the attention of the public to the possibility of contracting cholera from eating uncooked vegetables and fruit.

J. H. GELLING,
Secretary, Sanitary Board.
11th July, 1932.

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that application has been made to this Company to issue to the respective registered shareholders named below duplicate certificates, or other certificates in lieu thereof, for the shares covered by the following original certificates, upon statement that such original certificates have been lost:

Certificate No. 16178, dated 24th December, 1931, for 500 shares numbered 353082/353070; 401476/401525; 400846/400945; 491046/491145; 590562/590611; 607890/607949; 607980/608009; 747851/747944 and 792439/792445, registered in the name of Mr. Kwok Hin Wang of Alexandra Building, Hong Kong.

Certificate No. 16333, dated 12th February, 1932, for 100 shares numbered 792223/792322 registered in the name of Mr. Wong Chan Woon, of 58, Des Voeux Road, East, Hong Kong.

And notice is hereby given that, if within thirty days from the date hereof no claim or representation in respect of such original certificates is made to the Company, the Company will then proceed to deal with the applications in such manner and on such terms as the Directors of the Company may decide.

For THE CHINA LIGHT & POWER CO. (1918), LTD.
NOEL BRAGA,
Secretary.

Hong Kong, 9th August, 1932.

MORE BRIDGES FOR THAMES URGED.

Would Give Work To Unemployed.

London, July 31.

A suggestion that more bridges should be built across the Thames, and that men thrown out of work on the Clyde when the building of a giant ocean liner was abandoned should be employed on them, was made by Mr. H. Mordaunt Rogers, in his presidential address to the Auctioneers and Estate Agents' Institute of the United Kingdom at Bournemouth to-day.

"Charing Cross Bridge would provide its contribution towards the easing of the traffic problem," he said. "I would like to see more bridges across the Thames with this aim in view."

He pointed out that Paris, in a distance by water of eight miles, had 21 bridges, whereas London in the same distance had 11 excluding railway and foot bridges.

Mr. Rogers quoted the opinion of Mr. Frank Clark, M.P. for Dartford, who he said had had seven years' apprenticeship followed by 20 years' daily direction of a river transport service, and who maintained that Waterloo Bridge should be demolished and replaced by one of five arches.

"In Rennie's day only craft of 30 tons rowed by car passed singly under the bridge. To-day boats up to 300 tons were towed six at a time by powerful tugs. In a day 50,000 tons passed under the bridge."

"He claims that a new Waterloo Bridge with only five arches would materially assist also towards easing the central London traffic problem."

added Mr. Rogers.

HONG KONG STOCK EXCHANGE.

Opening Daily Official Quotations, August 12, 1932.

Next Settlement Day, Tuesday, August 30th, 1932.

STOCK	Buyers	Sellers	Low	High	Year	Last dividend and when paid
Banks						
Hong Kong Bank	1000	1000	113	113	Dec.	(Interim 3% @ 1931-1932) Aug. 8, 31
Chartered Bank	18	18	118	118	Dec.	Div. 7% Sub. to 1% Tax at 1931 Mar. 1, 31
Mercantile Bk. of India	81	81	101	101	Dec.	(Final 4% 1931-1932) Mar. 1, 31
Bank of East Asia	109	109	109	109	Dec.	Div. 7% Sub. to 1% Tax at 1931 Mar. 1, 31
Amer. O. Bk. Corp.	101	101	101	101	Dec.	Div. 7% Sub. to 1% Tax at 1931 Mar. 1, 31
Ch. Fin. Cor. Ord. Bk.	101	101	101	101	Dec.	Div. 7% Sub. to 1% Tax at 1931 Mar. 1, 31
Insurance						
Canton Ins.	1410	1410	1410	1410	Dec.	Div. 7% Sub. to 1% Tax at 1931 May 12, 31
Union Ins.	470	470	470	470	Dec.	(Final 1% for 1931) May 27, 31
China Fire Ins.	690	690	690	690	Dec.	(Final 2% bonus 1931-1932) May 27, 31
H. K. Fire Ins.	1200	1200	1200	1200	Dec.	(Final 2% bonus 1931-1932) May 27, 31
International Asso. Bk.	4	4	4	4	Dec.	Div. 7% Sub. to 1% Tax at 1931 Mar. 1, 31
Shipping						
Douglases	98	98	98	98	Dec.	Last dividend for 1931 June 19, 31
H. K. Steamers	291	291	291	291	Dec.	Last dividend for 1931 June 19, 31
Indo-China (Pref.)	40	40	40	40	Dec.	Last dividend for 1931 June 19, 31
Indo-China (Ord.)	46/8	46/8	46/8	46/8	Dec.	Last dividend for 1931 June 19, 31
Shells	90	90	90	90	Dec.	Last dividend for 1931 June 19, 31
Waterworks	90	90	90	90	Dec.	Last dividend for 1931 June 19, 31
Mining						
Benguet	101	101	101	101	Dec.	Div. 7% Sub. to 1% Tax at 1931 June 30, 31
Kailan Mining Ad.	23/8	23/8	23/8	23/8	Dec.	Div. 7% Sub. to 1% Tax at 1931 June 30, 31
Langkat (Single)	2/10	2/10	2/10	2/10	Dec.	Div. 7% Sub. to 1% Tax at 1931 June 30, 31
Shui Exploration	2/10	2/10	2/10	2/10	Dec.	Div. 7% Sub. to 1% Tax at 1931 June 30, 31
Loans	2/10	2/10	2/10	2/10	Dec.	Div. 7% Sub. to 1% Tax at 1931 June 30, 31
Rauha	81	81	81	81	Dec.	Div. 7% Sub. to 1% Tax at 1931 June 30, 31
Venezuela Gold Fields	14	14	14	14	Dec.	Div. 7% Sub. to 1% Tax at 1931 June 30, 31
Benguet Exploration	31/8	31/8	31/8	31/8	Dec.	Div. 7% Sub. to 1% Tax at 1931 June 30, 31
Docks, Wharves, Godowns, &c.						
H. K. & W. Dock	140	140	140	140	Dec.	Last dividend for 1931 Mar. 1, 31
H. K. & W. Dock (A)	10	10	10	10	Dec.	Last dividend for 1931 Mar. 1, 31
South China (A)	5	5	5	5	Dec.	Last dividend for 1931 Mar. 1, 31
China Providence (old)	9/10	9/10	9/10	9/10	Dec.	Last dividend for 1931 Mar. 1, 31
Hoongkwa	210	210	210	210	Dec.	Last dividend for 1931 Mar. 1, 31
N. Engineering	101	101	101	101	Dec.	Last dividend for 1931 Mar. 1, 31
Shanghai Docks	84	84	84	84	Dec.	Last dividend for 1931 Mar. 1, 31
Lands, Hotels & Buildings						
H. K. & S. H. (old)	10/80	10/80	10/80	10/80	Dec.	Last dividend for 1931 Mar. 1, 31
H. K. & S. H. (new)	781	781	781	781	Dec.	Last dividend for 1931 Mar. 1, 31
Shanghai Lands	10	10	10	10	Dec.	Last dividend for 1931 Mar. 1, 31
Metropolitan Lands	10	10	10	10	Dec.	Last dividend for 1931 Mar. 1, 31
Humphreys	10	10	10	10	Dec.	Last dividend for 1931 Mar. 1, 31
H. K. Realties	10/80	10/80	10/80	10/80	Dec.	Last dividend for 1931 Mar. 1, 31
Asia Realties	10/80	10/80	10/80	10/80	Dec.	Last dividend for 1931 Mar. 1, 31
China Realties	10/80	10/80	10/80	10/80	Dec.	Last dividend for 1931 Mar. 1, 31
China Realties	10/80	10/80	10/80	10/80	Dec.	Last dividend for 1931 Mar. 1, 31
Cotton Mills						
Ewo Cotton	14	14	14	14	Dec.	Last dividend for 1931 Apr. 29, 31
Shanghai Cotton	70	70	70	70	Dec.	Last dividend for 1931 Apr. 29, 31
Wong On Textile	11/10	11/10	11/10	11/10	Dec.	Last dividend for 1931 Apr. 29, 31
Public Utilities						
H. K. Tramways	29/80	29/80	29/80	29/80	Dec.	Last dividend for 1931 Aug. 15, 31
Peak Tram (old)	10	10	10	10	Dec.	Last dividend for 1931 Aug. 15, 31
Peak Tram (new)	10	10	10	10	Dec.	Last dividend for 1931 Aug. 15, 31
Star Ferry	881	881	881	881	Dec.	Last dividend for 1931 Aug. 15, 31
Yamat Ferry (old)	81	81	81	81	Dec.	Last dividend for 1931 Aug. 15, 31
Yamat Ferry (new)	81	81	81	81	Dec.	Last dividend for 1931 Aug. 15, 31
China Light (old)	10/80	10/80	10/80	10/80	Dec.	Last dividend for 1931 Dec. 31, 31
China Light (new)	10/80	10/80	10/80	10/80	Dec.	Last dividend for 1931 Dec. 31, 31
H. K. Electric	771	771	771	771	Dec.	Last dividend for 1931 Dec. 31, 31
Macao	24	24	24	24	Dec.	Last dividend for 1931 Dec. 31, 31
Sandakan Light	18	18	18	18	Dec.	Last dividend for 1931 Dec. 31, 31
H. K. Tels. fully paid	258	258	258	258	Dec.	Last dividend for 1931 Dec. 31, 31
China Buses	10/80	10/80	10/80	10/80	Dec.	Last dividend for 1931 Dec. 31, 31
S'pore Tractions (Ord.)	10/80	10/80	10/80	10/80	Dec.	Last dividend for 1931 Dec. 31, 31
Industrials						
Malayan Sugars	98	98	98	98	Dec.	Last dividend for 1931 Mar. 1, 31
Coldi Mag. Ord.	101	101	101	101	Dec.	Last dividend for 1931 Mar. 1, 31
Watsons (old)	101	101	101	101	Dec.	Last dividend for 1931 Mar. 1, 31
Watsons (new)	101	101	101	101	Dec.	Last dividend for 1931 Mar. 1, 31
Lat A Wings	101	101	101	101	Dec.	Last dividend for 1931 Mar. 1, 31
Law Crawford	101	101	101	101	Dec.	Last dividend for 1931 Mar. 1, 31
Mackinnon	101	101	101	101	Dec.	Last dividend for 1931 Mar



SAN FRANCISCO via Shanghai, Japan Ports and Honolulu.		
TAIYO MARU	Wednesday	24th August.
ASAMA MARU	Friday	9th September.
SEATTLE, VANCOUVER via Shanghai & Japan Ports.		
HIYE MARU	Tuesday	30th August.
HEIAN MARU	Tuesday	13th September.
LONDON, MARSEILLES, ANTWERP & ROTTERDAM via Singapore, Penang, Colombo & Suez.		
KASHIMA MARU	Saturday	20th August.
YASUKUNI MARU	Friday	2nd September.
SYDNEY & MELBOURNE via Manila & Ports.		
KITANO MARU	Saturday	27th August.
ATSUTA MARU	Saturday	24th September.
DOMBAY via Singapore, Penang, & Colombo.		
TOKUSHIMA MARU	Monday	29th August.
KAGA MARU	Sunday	11th September.
SOUTH AMERICA (West Coast) via Japan, Honolulu, Los Angeles, Mexico and Panama.		
GINYO MARU	Tuesday	13th September.
NEW YORK, BOSTON via Panama.		
LIVERPOOL via Port Said, Beyrouth, Istanbul, Piraeus, Genoa & Valencia.		
LYONS MARU	Saturday	17th September.
CALCUTTA via Singapore, Penang & Rangoon.		
AKITA MARU	Monday	15th August.
MALACCA MARU	Monday	29th August.
SHANGHAI, KOBE & YOKOHAMA.		
ATSUTA MARU (Nagasaki direct)	Friday	19th August.
SUWA MARU	Saturday	20th August.
LIMA MARU	Sunday	21st August.
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SAILINGS FROM HONG KONG SUBJECT TO ALTERATION.

LONDON, ROTTERDAM, HAMBURG & ANTWERP via Singapore, Colombo, Aden, Suez and Port Said.	Alaska Maru	Sat.	8th Oct.
NEW YORK via Japan, Los Angeles and Panama. Call Direct at Cristobal, Philadelphia and Baltimore.	Kwansui Maru	Fri.	12th Aug.
RIO-DE-JANEIRO, SANTOS, MONTEVIDEO & BUENOS AIRES via Saigon, Singapore, Colombo, Durban, PORT ELIZABETH and Cape Town.	† Santos Maru	Thur.	25th Aug.
MOMBASA, ZANZIBAR, DAR ES SALAAM, BEIRA, LOURENÇO MARQUES, DURBAN, PORT ELIZABETH, CAPE TOWN and SOUTH AMERICAN PORTS.	Arabia Maru	Tues.	6th Sept.
Via Singapore & Colombo.			
MELBOURNE, BRISBANE, SYDNEY, WELLINGTON and AUCKLAND direct.	Sydney Maru	Mon.	5th Sept.
BOMBAY via Singapore, Belawan, Penang and Rangoon.	Shunko Maru	Fri.	19th Aug.
CALCUTTA via Singapore, Penang and Rangoon.	Honolulu Maru	Sat.	20th Aug.
JAPAN PORTS.	Burma Maru	Wed.	24th Aug.
JAPAN via Takao & Keelung.	Panama Maru	Fri.	9th Sept.
KEELUNG via Swatow and Amoy (3 p.m. every Sunday).	Canton Maru	Sun.	14th Aug.
TAKAO via Swatow and Amoy (Noon, every other Thursday).	Hosan Maru	Sun.	21st Aug.
† Omits ports underlined.	Deli Maru	Thurs.	25th Aug.

For Further Particulars Please apply to:—
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ROYAL LIFEBOAT INSTITUTION.

Annual Report For 1931.

The annual report of the Royal National Lifeboat Institution for 1931, which has just been published, records the rescue from shipwreck round the coast of the British Isles last year of 271 lives. Twenty-six boats and vessels were also saved or helped to safety.

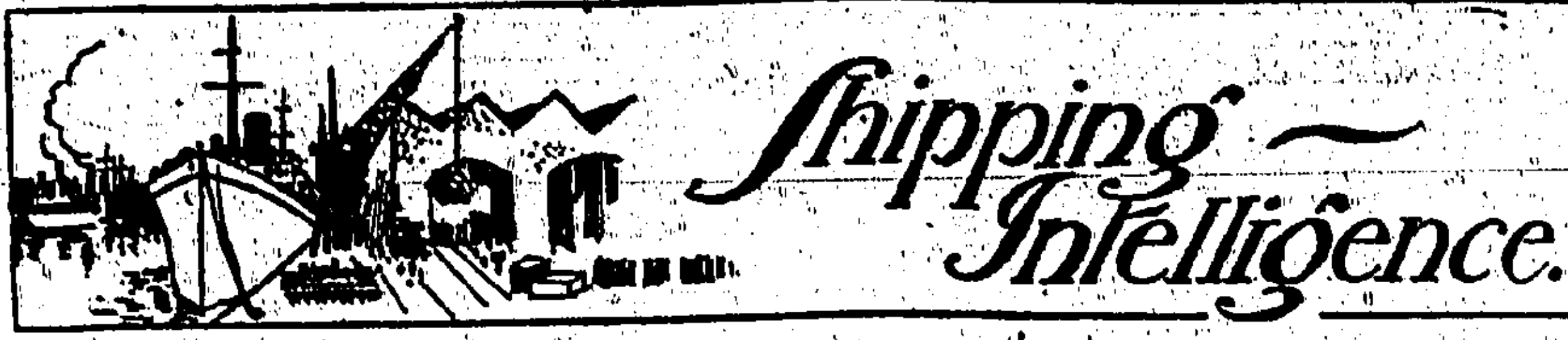
The majority of the lives rescued were British, but services were rendered to seventeen foreign countries, and forty-nine lives rescued from them. Four of the vessels, belonging to nine different vessels, were French, two Swedish, two Spanish, two Latvian, two Dutch, two American, one German, one Danish and one Greek. Two bronze medals were awarded for gallant lifeboat services, and they were both won by Scottish crews, Coxswain, Captain, of 86, and Coxswain, of 87, of the "Andrew" and "Coxswain" of 87.

Thurso. The bowman of the Cromer lifeboat received a second service clasp to the bronze medal which he already holds, for going overboard to the rescue of a drowning man.

The revenue of the Institution, which is obtained entirely by voluntary contributions, was £284,089. It suffered considerably from the financial crisis of 1931, being £55,895 less than in 1930, and even with the savings effected in expenditure there was an adverse balance of £5,447. At the same time, the financial crisis brought the Institution many proofs of the generosity of the public. Many people refused to reduce their contributions, and numbers of subscriptions, were actually increased.

THE "BERMUDA" ENGINES.

The four engines of the burnt-out liner "Bermuda" are being taken out of the ship at Belfast, and it is understood that they will be installed in other vessels if orders can be obtained.



Arrivals Of Ships

Tuesday, August 9.	
Aller, German str., 4,741 tons, Capt. Hashagen, from Shanghai, buoy No. A4—Melchers & Co.	
City of Melbourne, British str., 4,125 tons, Capt. J. R. Wilkins, from Singapore, Bank Line—Holt Wharf.	
Lushan Maru, Japanese str., 1,507 tons, Capt. T. Tomimaga, from Canton, Stonecutters—N.Y.K.	
Wednesday, August 10.	
Batavia Maru, Japanese str., 2,731 tons, Capt. Irivo, from Tawao, buoy No. A3—O.S.K.	
Canton Maru, Japanese str., 1,647 tons, Capt. Y. Iwasaki, from Swatow, O.S.K. Wharf—O.S.K.	
Cremer, Dutch str., 2,784 tons, Capt. G. J. Mappelink, from Swatow, buoy No. A15—C.J.L.	
Delagoa Maru, Japanese str., 4,373 tons, Capt. H. Takasu, from Sakito, buoy No. 6—N.Y.K.	
Deli Maru, Japanese str., 1,293 tons, Capt. E. Sanada, from Canton, O.S.K. Wharf—O.S.K.	
Empress of Russia, British str., 8,789 tons, Capt. H. James, from Manila, Kowloon Wharf—C.P.R.	
Hai Yang, British str., 1,363 tons, Capt. E. G. Erwin, from Swatow, Douglas Wharf—Douglas & Co.	
Helikon, British str., 1,220 tons, Capt. W. Anderson, from Saigon, buoy No. B18—Wo Fat Sing.	
Hydrangea, British str., 561 tons, Capt. P. W. Grierson, from Swatow, Chiu On Wharf—Chiu On & Co.	
King Yuan, British str., 1,546 tons, Capt. J. W. Jenkins, from Hoihow, buoy No. B3—B. & S.	
Malwa, British str., 5,980 tons, Capt. Britten, from Singapore, Kowloon Wharf—M.M. & Co.	
Menelaus, British str., 6,324 tons, Capt. Proport, from Keelung, buoy No. A2—B. & S.	
Nagahang, British str., 1,488 tons, Capt. Newton, from Amoy, buoy No. B21—B. & S.	
Nankwa Maru, Japanese str., 2,550 tons, Capt. S. Iwaki, from Paraseval Bay, Kowloon Bay—Y. Sato & Co.	
Newchwang, British str., 1,480 tons, Capt. E. Thomas, from Dairen, buoy No. C5—B. & S.	
Soochow, British str., 1,594 tons, Capt. J. Atkins, from Swatow, buoy No. B14—B. & S.	
Taiyuan, British str., 2,100 tons, Capt. J. K. Clark, from Canton, buoy No. B15—B. & S.	
Chong Lee, Chinese str., 1,249 tons, Capt. Nagakawa, from Canton, buoy No. B12—Loong Tai Hong.	
Iyo Maru, Japanese str., 3,667 tons, Capt. A. Ito, from Shanghai, buoy No. A8—N.Y.K.	
Wing Wo, Portuguese str., 495 tons, Capt. I. D. de Lemos, from K. C. Wan, Salkong Wharf—Wo Hop & Co.	

CLEARANCES.

Wednesday, August 10.
Aller, for Manila.
Arendsker, for Shanghai.
Delagoa Maru, for Shanghai.
Hop Sang, for Canton.
Kwai Sang, for Swatow.
Lushan, for Swatow.
Menelaus, for Singapore.
Ryokai Maru, for Paraseval Bay.
Skuld, for Samarinda.
Solviken, for Singapore.
Tatsuta Maru, for Los Angeles.
Wing Lee, for K.C. Wan.

HARBOUR OFFICE.

Good Freight Figures Reported.

The Harbour Office Reports for the 24 hours ended 9 a.m. yesterday gave a free movement of vessels with a high tonnage. Freight was up to the mark, both the inwards and throughs reaching five figures. The total tonnage entered was 63,502.

There were 15 inward registries, of which eight were British and eight of four figures, while of the 11 throughs, eight were British and five of four figures. Two vessels arrived in ballast.

Passengers entered during the period included 128 Europeans and 1,001 Asiatic deck. British vessels carrying 1,119 out of the total in all classes.

CONSIGNEES' NOTICES.

Nationality	Arr. H'Kong	Dep. Through
British	11	7,440
American	1	1
Dutch	1	1
German	1	1,500
Norwegian	2	3,000
Portuguese	1	330
Japanese	1	7,808
Chinese	1	2
	22	20,078
	20	19,989

CONSIGNEES' NOTICES.

Consignees of cargo ex m.v. Fusijama are reminded to take delivery of their goods which will be subject to rent after August 14.

Consignees of cargo ex a.s. Benalder are reminded to take delivery of their goods which will be subject to rent after August 18.

TRIALS OF THE 26,000 S.H.P. GERMAN GUNNERY SHIP "BREMSL".

The gunnery ship "Bremsl" built for the German Navy and of which particulars of the 26,000 s.h.p. machinery are published elsewhere, is to go on trials early this month. She is the highest-powered motor warship yet built.

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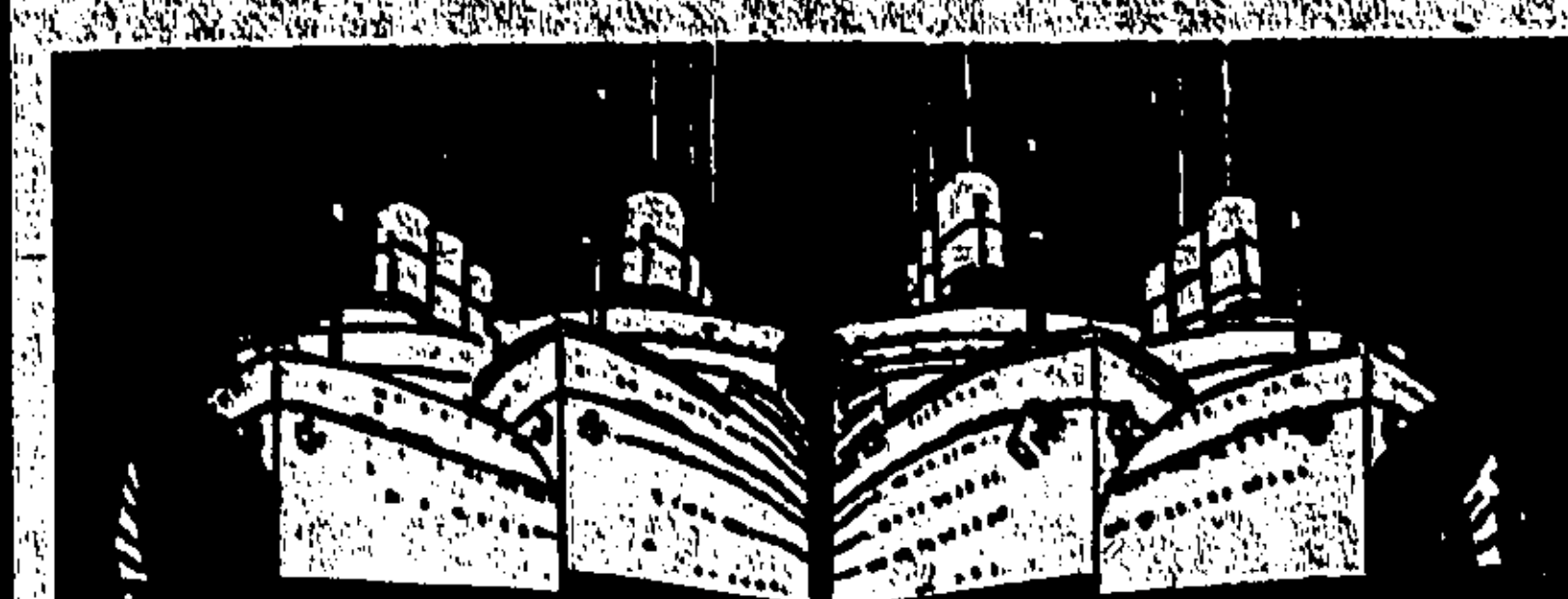
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Emp. of Canada	Sept. 23	Sept. 26	Sept. 29	Sept. 30	Oct. 3	Oct. 6	Oct. 9
Emp. of Russia	Oct. 7	Oct. 10	Oct. 11	Oct. 13	Oct. 15	Oct. 18	Oct. 21
Emp. of Japan	Oct. 21	Oct. 24	Oct. 26	Oct. 28	Nov. 1	Nov. 3	Nov. 5
Emp. of Asia	Nov. 4	Nov. 7	Nov. 8	Nov. 10	Nov. 12	Nov. 15	Nov. 18
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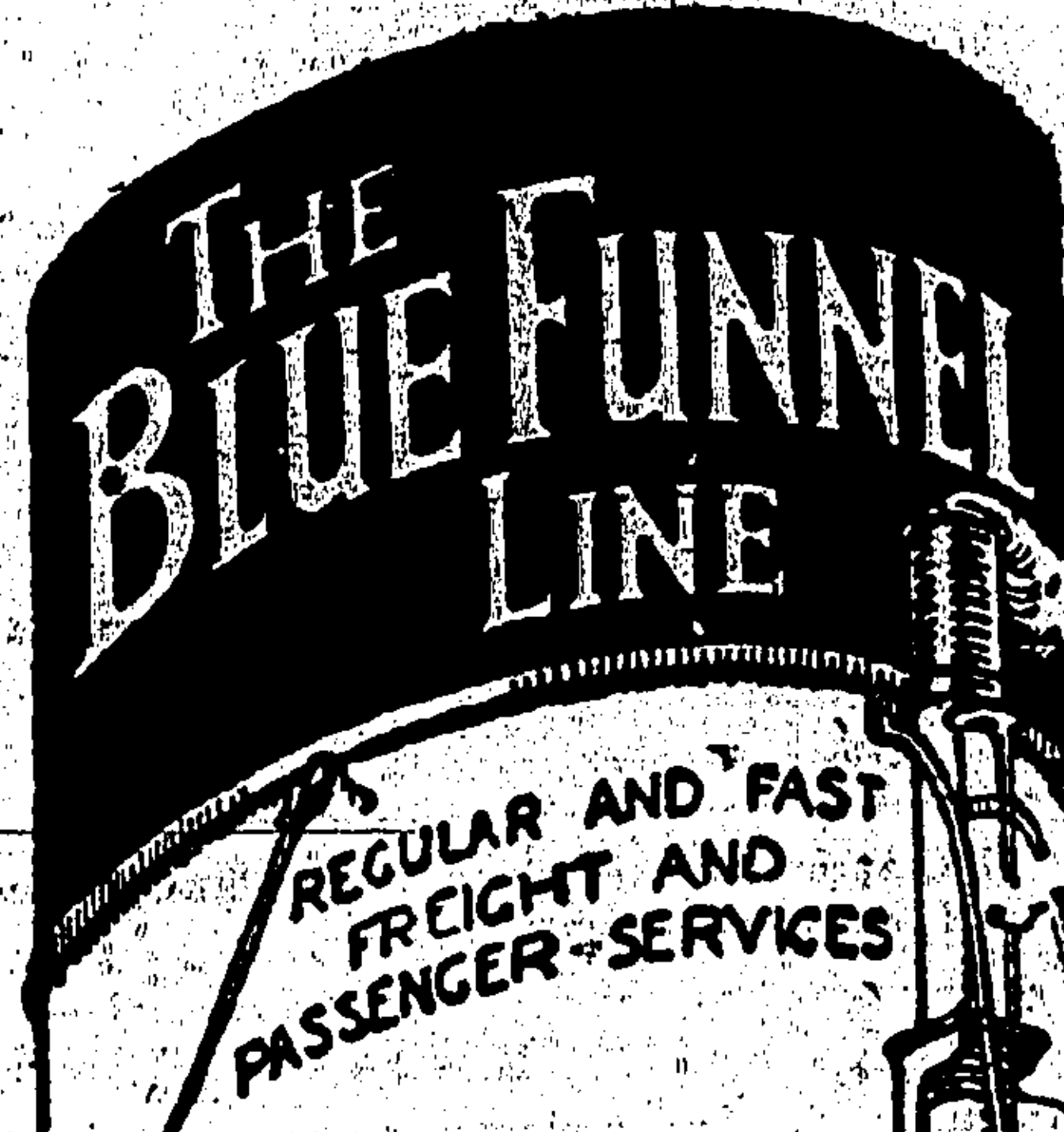
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*BURDWAN	6,500	3rd Sept.	Bombay, Marseilles, London, Havre, Hamburg, R'dam, Antwerp & Hull.
*MALWA	11,000	10th Sept.	Bombay, Marseilles & London.
*RANCHI	17,000	24th Sept.	Marseilles & London.
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*RAJPUTANA	17,000	5th Nov.	Bombay, Marseilles & London.
*BANGALORE	6,500	12th Nov.	Hamburg, Rotterdam, Antwerp & Hull.
*CORFU	15,000	19th Nov.	Bombay, Marseilles & London.
*COMORIN	15,000	3rd Dec.	Bombay, Marseilles & London.
*BHUTAN	6,000	10th Dec.	Bombay, Marseilles, L'don, Havre, H'burg, R'dam, A'werp & Hull.
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Date	High Water Standard Ht.	Low Water Standard Ht.
Aug. 12	4.15 P.	1.10 M.
Fri. 12	04 45 6.2	13 13 1.0
Sat. 13	21 14 3.8	23 14 3.6
Sun. 14	08 04 6.6	— — —
Mon. 15	21 38 4.0	14 10 0.8
Tues. 16	08 10 7.1	00 22 3.8
Wed. 17	22 01 4.3	14 52 0.4
Thurs. 18	08 05 7.8	02 20 3.6
Fri. 19	22 25 4.5	15 29 0.3
Sat. 20	08 52 7.7	02 10 3.3
Sun. 21	22 50 4.7	15 00 0.5
Mon. 22	09 35 7.8	02 55 3.2
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INWARD MAILS.

FRIDAY, AUGUST 12.

Japan and Shanghai Rawalpindi
U.S.A., Canada, Japan & Shanghai (Seattle,
July 28) President Taft

Australia and Manila Changte

SATURDAY, AUGUST 13.

Shanghai and Swatow Shantung

SUNDAY, AUGUST 14.

Shanghai and Amoy Tsinan

MONDAY, AUGUST 15.

Straits Van Heutsz

TUESDAY, AUGUST 16.

Japan and Shanghai Angkor

Saigon Chenonceaux

Calcutta and Straits Kutsang

Australia and Manila Atsuta Maru

FRIDAY, AUGUST 19.

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Japan and Shanghai Kashima Maru

SATURDAY, AUGUST 20.

Straits Suwa Maru

Japan and Shanghai Taiyo Maru

U.S.A., Honolulu, Japan and Shanghai (San
Francisco, July 22) President Pierce

OUTWARD MAILS.

FRIDAY, AUGUST 12.

Amoy Chenan 3.30 p.m.

Formosa Kwansai Maru 3.30 p.m.

Samsui and Wuchow Kong Ning 4 p.m.

Shanghai Muensterland 4.30 p.m.

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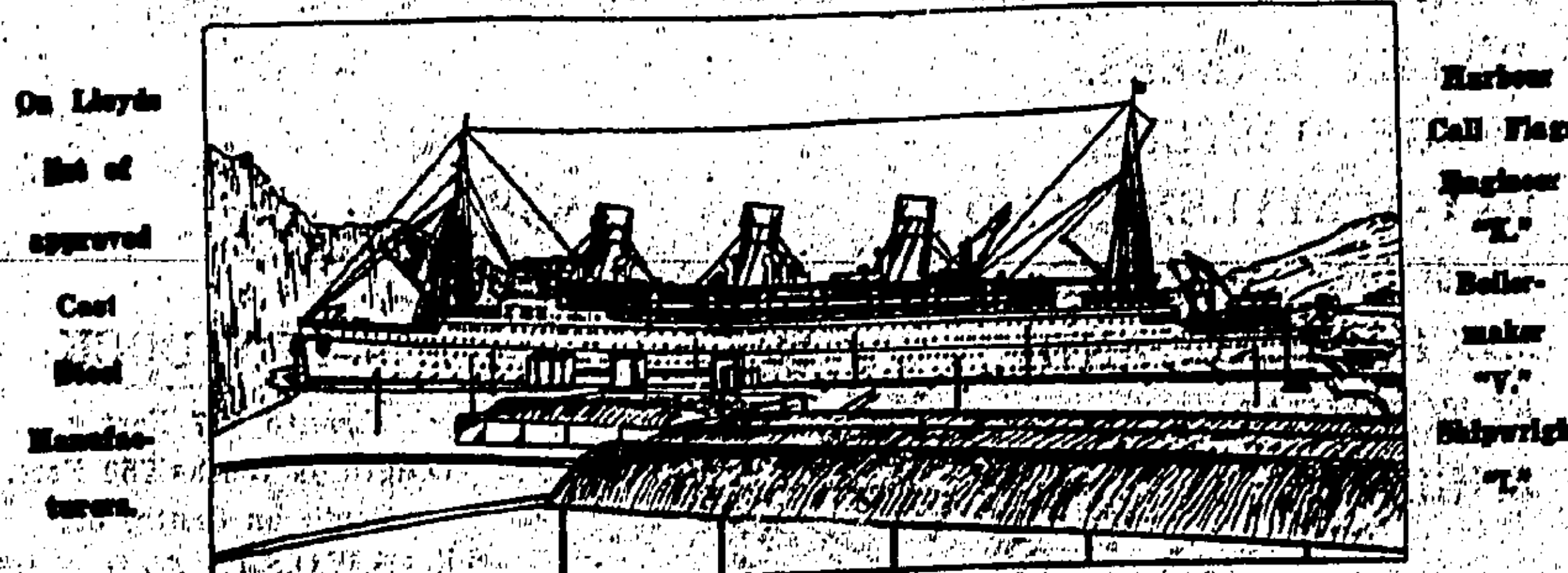
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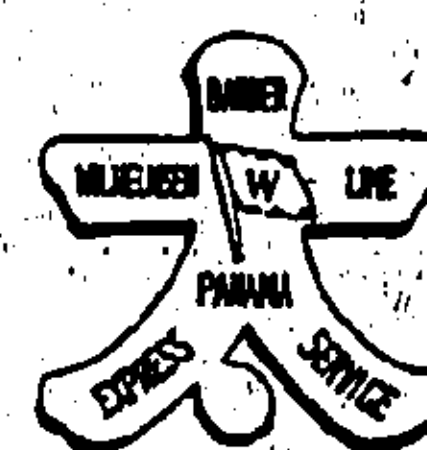
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Manila	President Taft 4.50 p.m.
Hohow, Pakhol and Halphong	Klungchow 5 p.m.
Amoy	Anhui 5 p.m.
SUNDAY, AUGUST 14.	
Swatow, Amoy and Formosa	Canton Maru 9 a.m.
Bangkok via Swatow	Kayong 9 a.m.
MONDAY, AUGUST 15.	
Swatow	Hydrangea 8 p.m.
Shanghai, Japan, Honolulu, U.S.A.	
*Canada, C. & S. America and Europe via San Francisco	President McKinley (Due San Francisco, Sept. 6.) Parcels Aug. 15, 5 p.m. Registration 8 p.m. Letters Aug. 16, 8.30 a.m.
TUESDAY, AUGUST 16.	
Batavia	Tjilatjap 10.30 a.m.
Letters for "Saigon-Marseilles Air Mail Service"	Angkor Registration Aug. 16, 12.30 p.m. Letters 1 p.m.

* Superscribed Correspondence only.

THE PRINCE'S ADVICE ON OTTAWA.

[By Leslie R. Aldous.]

Breadth of vision, due to his intimate knowledge of men and nations, characterises almost every utterance of the Prince of Wales. At the gathering in London of the delegates to the forthcoming Imperial Conference, the voice was that of Prince George but, as he confessed himself, the words were those of his elder brother. The Prince's speech may be read as a warning against a narrow, selfish and parochial attitude at the Ottawa Conference.

At the present time of unprecedented distress and adversity the burdens which the modern world has imposed upon its members have seemed to some almost too heavy to bear. In many countries, a reaction has been apparent against internationalism. "We have enough troubles of our own without worrying about those of other countries," say the critics. "Let us turn our backs on Geneva and Lausanne, and work out our own salvation."

Those who imagine that it is possible for any nation, however great its resources, to find prosperity in a bankrupt world should listen carefully to the advice of the Prince of Wales. "It has never before been so clear that no country or group of countries in the world can isolate themselves from the fortunes of the rest. However widely the group is conceived, it would lack by its isolation from the rest of the world, something vital to its economic life. And again, 'the Empire cannot, it is true, solve the world's problems, but it can perhaps give a lead in the right direction, and in our present distresses a feeling that a right first step had been taken might do much to revive confidence.'"

This realisation that the fundamental issues concern "nothing smaller than a world and nothing less than a system crumbling under our feet" has characterised the attitude of the British delegation at Lausanne. It is not the fault of the Prime Minister and his colleagues that the traditional gulf between France and Germany has at times almost appeared to defy the efforts of the bridge-builders. The lesson of all recent international negotiations is that the best machinery in the world will be of no avail unless the will to use it is there also. For years the League of Nations has been battering away against the ignorance, prejudices, fears and suspicion which still dominate the actions of so many of those in high places. A world crisis has been needed to drive home the economic and political truths which the League has consistently urged upon the nations.

Ottawa fits into its place among the great conferences of the present year. It will not be the last, for Great Britain proposes to call a later economic conference at which the United States of America will be represented. There is, unfortunately, a movement in America to restrict the scope of the conference to purely monetary questions—on the grounds that Lausanne has failed. An unhappy issue to the League's Disarmament Conference would have an even more disastrous effect upon the prospects of co-operation on economic matters. All must share the hope of the Prince that we should "combine successfully in the tasks of peace."

DRINK DEBTS CAN'T BE COLLECTED.

Egypt's New Laws Are Strict.

Cairo, Aug. 1. Debts for drink will not be recoverable by law as a result of stringent new liquor regulations which it is understood are to be put into force in Egypt.

The regulations provide that no woman shall take charge of any drinking establishment. The sale of alcoholic liquor on credit is forbidden. Sales of alcohol will only be authorised in special zones. No alcohol may be sold to children under age unless accompanied by their parents.

The new regulations follow the withdrawal of the special licensing privileges in the European quarter of Cairo. These were withdrawn owing to the number of Egyptians who have taken up residence in the quarter and were thus enjoying privileges which the Government did not intend for them. Reuter.

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JOAN BENNETT'S BEAUTY IN "SHE WANTED A MILLIONAIRE."

Oriental's Attractions.

There is no machine-gunning, no sex element, no colossal "set" in "The Champ"—just a simple story of an ex-heavyweight pugilist who has slid down the social scale through drink and gambling, with a small son who worships him, beyond all reason. Wallace Beery and that boy-genius Jackie Cooper are two masters of high emotionalism who are human and natural. Parts of the film drag a little, when we have, (luckily) a short glimpse of the usual sort of horrid theatrical child—the half-sister of Jackie, but she does tend to make us more appreciative of the talent of the boy hero. Irene Rich and Hale Hamilton are both good in sympathetic parts.

"The Champ" has a nation-wide appeal. You will have your laughs, your thrills, and excitement—in that final fight, I sat on the edge of my seat, and was carried away with the scene)—You will shed your tears, and not feel ashamed. No one must miss seeing "The Champ." With this is an added novel attraction. "Guessing Competition." Do you know your film favourites? Some of them are so palpable, that you think you will easily win the \$500 offered by Flit for the most correct number of guesses, but there are many that will puzzle you, and, as the competition progresses, they become more difficult. Anyhow it is diverting, and there will be lots of fun! (Queen's).

"Wicked."

"Wicked" gives us another picture with the English favourite Elissa Landi, supported by a fellow-countryman, Victor McLaglen. It is a neat dramatic fare about a bank robber and his wife. There is a baby, who is adopted while the Mother is serving her jail sentence. Finding the child seems to be the main theme of the story.

At three shows a day, for three days, Miss Laura Guertie, the famous cabaret and vaudeville star, will sing some of her most popular numbers.

"She Wanted a Millionaire."

On Sunday, we have Joan Bennett, Spencer Tracy, and James Kirkwood in "She Wanted a Millionaire." This is the picture which sent Joan to hospital and she had a plaster cast for many months, when her horse fell on her. Plucky as they make them, she was too, so I hear. I like this Bennett girl, the best of the three famous sisters, and she is most certainly improving as an actress, and not depending entirely on her beauty. I think the beauty contest at Atlantic City is, alone, worth seeing. James Kirkwood, as the mad millionaire, who loves to torture humans and animals, gives the best acting.

Homely, but attractive Spencer Tracy is the home-town boy who makes good—and follows the heroine to Paris, where in a fade-out that is too abrupt, he gets what he wants. Una Merkel gives us some laughs. Well directed and surely another winner for the famous Fox Studio. Following this, we hope to see Edna Best and her husband in Edgar Wallace's play—"The Calendar"—known in the States as "Bachelor's Folly." When he sees Lily Damita, Roland Young, Charles Ruggles and Cary Grant in "This is the Night" we shall see one, grand, enjoyable film. All these are due at the King's.

"Touchdown."

"Touchdown" is a really convincing football story. If you like this type, do not miss it. Dick Arlen is grand as the handsome over-ambitious coach, and you'll get some inside light on crooked play. Jack Oakie lends most valuable assistance, and Peggy Shannon in a small part is sweet. This is followed by "Goldie" in which we have Spencer Tracy and Warren Hymer doing the McGallen-Lowe act. Joan Harlow brings her sex-appeal and her platinum blonde head to the part of the girl over whom they quarrel. Don't miss anything, anything high-class and you are sure to enjoy it.

Along comes bluff Gary Cooper in "His Woman"—He is the skipper of a freighter. Claudette Colbert, chewing gum, and a skirt wrapped tightly round her, proves she is a "tough" lady from the resorts in the Caribbean Sea towns. The parts are not worthy of the two stars, but, as is usual with Paramount, the photography is perfectly lovely.

"Oude Ranch."

In "Oude Ranch" Jack Oakie has a part made for him. The Ranch does not pay, so the proprietor hits on the novel idea of engaging a theatrical troupe to live things up. Six minutes nearer to the air-port Mitzi Green is the persecuted child, of Le Bourget than the previous Oakie, the desperado, Eugene Pallette, a most amusing villain. The June Collyer lends her loveliness to stealing the heart of Oakie. All these attractions are worth taking that short tram ride to the up-to-date attractive Oriental Theatre, Wanchai.

"The Sin Ship."

Louis Wolheim, Mary Astor, Ian Keith, Hugh Herbert in "The Sin Ship." Quite a bit of excitement and all-round good acting, with the late Louis directing. Followed by the sure-fire winner "The Champ," then a story which will be of interest because it was written by a young actor who toured the Orient many years ago with Charles Quarmaine. Frank Vosper by name—now one of the most famous actor-managers in London.

"The Second Floor Mystery."

In this play—"The Second Floor Mystery" we have the bridal couple Mr. and Mrs. Grant Withers—otherwise Miss Loretta Young. Let me tell you as this is a 1930 film, they are not divorced. When that play finishes we shall have the most beautiful gem, giving us the early life story and struggles of a very famous author—supposedly true, of Frederick Lonsdale—who wrote "Lovers Courageous"—The whole cast is British, with the exception of the two stars, Robert Montgomery and Madge Evans. Undoubtedly the best thing they have ever done. All due at Queen's.

Star Features.

The famous film made in East Africa, with Harry Carey in the leading role—"Trader Horn"—followed by Clark Gable and Madge Evans in "Sporting Blood" with the famous race-horse as the real hero, are coming to the Star.

HOLLYWOOD GOSSIP.

News About the Film Stars.

Sari Maritz is the daughter of Major Nathan, the well-known head of the Kallan Mining Administration. Her first picture with Paramount—"Forgotten Commandments"—is not being shown in Shanghai.

Rumour has it that Greta Garbo has recently lost a million dollars in the big Beverly Hills Bank smash. She will, therefore, return to the screen.

Fredric March and Leslie Howard will support Norma Shearer in "Smilin' Through."

Clark Gable will be lent to Paramount, to support Miriam Hopkins in "No Bed of Her Own."

It is a story of reckless youth centering round a girl who lives by her wit and charm, and a man in a higher strata of society.

Cary Grant, another Englishman, whom we shall shortly see in "This is the Night"—is the other man with Herbert Marshall in support of Marlene Dietrich in "The Blonde Venus."

"Good Earth," the famous classic of life among the Chinese, is to be dramatized for the Theatre Guild, New York, by Owen Davis and his son, and Nazimova will play the leading character.

Jackie Coogan will return to the stage in "Lynn Fontaine," a success story in Vienna, and appear in "The Sign of the Cross" and "Hot Chis" in which "Lure Vane" will play.

IMPERIAL AIRWAY CHANGE

New Terminus In Paris.

PASSENGER INCREASE.

Large increases in passenger traffic by Imperial Airways between London and Paris—figures for June showing, for example, that 4,311 travellers flew between the two capitals in the Company's air-liners, as compared with 2,208 for a similar period last year—led to a decision to transfer the arrival and departure point in Paris from the Avenue de l'Opera to the Hotel Bohy-Lafayette, in the Square Montholon, Rue Lafayette.

Great difficulty was experienced, owing to growing pressure, in dealing with large numbers of passengers, and increasing quantities of luggage, in the space previously available, while traffic congestion in the Avenue de l'Opera rendered it no easy matter, at busy periods, to deal with the cars and taxicabs of passengers.

Great Advantages.

Definite advantages have accrued from the change, to the Hotel Bohy-Lafayette. For one thing, it is a theatrical troupe to live things up, six minutes nearer to the air-port Mitzi Green is the persecuted child, of Le Bourget than the previous Oakie, the desperado, Eugene Pallette, a most amusing villain. The June Collyer lends her loveliness to stealing the heart of Oakie. All these attractions are worth taking that short tram ride to the up-to-date attractive Oriental Theatre, Wanchai.

This change from the Avenue de l'Opera to the Hotel Bohy-Lafayette took place on July 20.

The Imperial Airways' office at 38, Avenue de l'Opera is, however, still being retained as a Booking Office and Enquiry Bureau.

MASTERING AIRSHIP PROBLEM.

British Experts Investigate.

Great Britain has not set aside all idea of mastering the airship problem since the scrapping of the "R-100" after the "R-101" disaster. The Air Ministry has sent a leading expert, in the person of Squadron Leader Booth, the former Captain of R-100, on a special mission of observation to the United States.

It is stated that he has been sent to study airship development and, if possible, to make a flight in the American airship "Akron."

This follows his visit to Germany in April, when he was a passenger during the flight of the "Graf Zeppelin" to Pernambuco.

Bert Lahr and Buddy Rogers were appearing, after twelve weeks was forced to close down. The salaries were too large, and the artistes refused a "cut," and with the terrific running expenses it was made impossible for the show to continue to play at prices possible for the public to pay in these depressing times. It is rumoured that Arthur Jarrett (whose turn was so much to my liking when he appeared in a recent short at the King's) will take the place of Rogers when the show moves to another Broadway theatre.

Ziegfeld, in the meantime has revived "The Showboat" with Norma Terris, Edna May Oliver, Helen Morgan and many more of the original players.

Dennis King is now Gaylord Ravenal.

"Scarface, the Shame of a Nation" is the title of the famous picture now being shown all over the States. It was, at first, barred by the censors. Howard Hughes, the millionaire producer says it is being shown as propaganda.

The \$135,000 Mansion and furniture, given by Jack Dempsey to his wife Estelle Taylor, will soon be sold by auction.

Long, McQueen and Fifi Dorsey tried appearing in a short sketch in vaudeville but they were not a success.

Rosetta Duncan, one of the famous sisters, is also trying to make a name in vaudeville, but she is not doing so well.

It is rumoured that the two partners who are presenting the musical, "The Sign of the Cross," at the time, will be arranged, giving Bert Lahr, as the main attraction.

HONG KONG MARKET PRODUCE.

APPROXIMATE RETAIL PRICES

		Aug. 5, June, June,			Aug. 5, June, June,		
		1932. 1918. 1914.			1932. 1918. 1914.		
		Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.
Butcher Meat.							
Beef Sirloin	牛尾	lb.	34	24	12		
Prime Cut	牛尾	lb.	30	23	11		
Corned	牛尾	lb.	40	23	12		
Roast	牛尾	lb.	34	24	12		
Breast	牛尾	lb.	32	20	12		
Soup	牛尾	lb.	28	20	12		
Steak	牛尾	lb.	34	24	12		
Steak Sirloin	牛尾	lb.	46	30	35		
Sausages	牛尾	lb.	36	26	20		
Bullock's Brains	牛尾	per set	17	10	12		
Tongue, fresh	牛尾	each	80	60	60		
Tongue, corned	牛尾	each	1.00	60	60		
Head	牛尾	lb.	1.60	—	1.30		
Heart	牛尾	lb.	24	18	14		
Hump, Salt	牛尾	each	12	10	12		
Feet	牛尾	each	12	10	12		
Kidneys	牛尾	lb.	15	10	12		
Tail	牛尾	lb.	27	20	22		
Liver	牛尾	lb.	26	18	14		
Tripe	牛尾	lb.	8	6	7		
Calves' Head & Feet	牛尾	set	1.50	1.00	1.00		
Mutton Chop	牛尾	lb.	60	28	—		
Leg	牛尾	lb.	60	28	—		
Shoulder	牛尾	lb.	60	24	—		
Saddle	牛尾	lb.	60	—	—		
Pig's Chitlings	牛尾	Per set	4	—	—		
Brains	牛尾	lb.	18	15	—		
Feet	牛尾	lb.	30	15	18		
Fry	牛尾	lb.	20	20	—		
Head	牛尾	each	18	10	10		
Heart	牛尾	each	14	10	8		
Kidneys	牛尾	lb.	50	80	24		
Liver	牛尾	lb.	38	25	23		
Pork Chop	牛尾	lb.	42	60	70		
Leg	牛尾	lb.	38	—	—		
Loins	牛尾	lb.	42	60	70		
Fat or Lard	牛尾	lb.	22	21	—		
Sheep's Head & Feet	牛尾	Per set	90	60	70		
Heart	牛尾	each	12	8	7		
Kidneys	牛尾	lb.	15	12	10		
Liver	牛尾	lb.	45	26	25		
Sucking Pigs, to order	牛尾	lb.	25	25	23		
Suet, Beef	牛尾	lb.	34	20	18		
Mutton	牛尾	lb.	55	26	26		
Veal	牛尾	lb.	28	—	—		
Sausages	牛尾	lb.	38	—	—		
No. 1							
Fish.							
Barbel	魚	lb.	58	16	24		
Bream	魚	lb.	28	20	16		
Canton Fresh Water	魚	lb.	28	—	—		
Carp	魚	lb.	30	13	16		
Catfish	魚	lb.	30	16	27		
Codfish	魚	lb.	35	12	9		
Crabs	魚	lb.	68	15	24		
Cuttle Fish	魚	lb.	26	23	28		
Dab	魚	lb.	26	16	27		
Dace	魚	lb.	56	28	16		
Dog Fish	魚	lb.	20	10	—		
Eels, Conger	魚	lb.	80	10	8		
Fresh Water	魚	lb.	85	16	—		
Yellow	魚	lb.	50	10	8		
Frogs	魚	lb.	85	26	30		
Garoupa	魚	lb.	1.00	32	25		
Gudgeon	魚	lb.	28	40	30		
Herrings	魚	lb.	38	22	18		
Halibut	魚	lb.	40	18	23		
Labrus	魚	lb.	45	18	15		
Loach	魚	lb.	88	22	13		
Lobsters	魚	lb.	75	62	34		
Mackerel	魚	lb.	48	32	21		
Monk Fish	魚	lb.	48	20	20		
Mullet	魚	lb.	40	13	2		
Oysters	魚	lb.	45	12	2		
Parrot Fish	魚	lb.	38	14	9		
Perch	魚	lb.	32	30	15		
Pike	魚	lb.	48	16	9		
Plaice	魚	lb.	62	36	29		
Pomfret, White	魚	lb.	60	33	30		
Pomfret, Black	魚	lb.	40	36	45		
Prawns	魚	lb.	95	10	14		
Ray	魚	lb.	24	10	14		
Rock Fish	魚	lb.	30	18	13		
Roach	魚	lb.	38	22	10		
Salmon	魚	lb.	75	36	30		
Shark	魚	lb.	20	10	19		
Skate	魚	lb.	64	33	30		
Shrimps	魚	lb.	55	33	30		
Snapper	魚	lb.	50	22	28		
Sole	魚	lb.	40	20	58		
Tench	魚	lb.	38	12	12		
Turbot	魚	lb.	1.10	12	12		
Turtles, small fr. water	魚	lb.	1.10	12	12		
Poultry.							
Chicken	雞	lb.	66	30	31		
Capon, Small	雞	lb.	68	23	30		
Capon, Large	雞	lb.	68	23	30		
Duck	鴨	lb.	45	22	21		
Doves	鳩	each	45	22	21		
Eggs, Hen (cooking)	蛋	per doz.	36	18	—		
Eggs, Hen (fresh)	蛋	per doz.	38	20	—		
Fowls, Canton	雞	lb.	80	36	34		
Fowls, Hainan	雞	lb.	82	35	24		
Geese	鴨	lb.	43	24	24		
Pigeons, Canton	鴿	each	48	20	—		
"Hollow	鴿	each	40	20	—		
Turkeys, Cock	火雞	lb.	75	—	—		
Turkeys, Hen	火雞	lb.	70	61	48		
Snipe	山鵲	each	30	—	—		
Pheasant	山鵲	each	30	—	—		
Quail	山鵲	each	—	—	—		
Partridges	山鵲	each	—	—	—		
Fruits.							
Almonds	杏仁	lb.	90	35	—		
Apples (California)	金山蘋果	lb.	28	28	—		
Bananas (bridge's)	金山香蕉	lb.	7	4	—		
Carambola	楊桃	lb.	16	12	—		
Coconuts	椰子	each	14	10	10		
Lemons, China	檸檬	lb.	20	25	30		
Lemons (American)	金山檸檬	each	12	8	—		
Lichees, Dried	荔枝干	lb.	1.00	25	30		
Oranges (Canton)	新會橙	lb.	—	—	—		
Oranges	橙	lb.	—	—	15		
Pears (Canton)	沙梨	lb.	—	—	—		
Peanuts	花生	lb.	14	10	12		
Persimmons, Large	紅柿	lb.	—	12	—		
Plaintain	大蕉	lb.	5	8	—		
Pumelo, Siam	暹羅柚	each	14	12	6		
Walnuts	胡桃	lb.	30	—	10		
Grapes	菩提子	lb.	90	—	—		
Vegetables, Etc.							
Artichokes	蕪菁	each	—	—	2		
Beans, Sprout	豆苗	lb.	6	—	8		
"Long	長豆	lb.	12	—	8		
Beet Root	甜菜根	lb.	12	—	—		
Bitter Squash	苦瓜	lb.	8	24	—		
Brijnals, Green	青瓜	lb.	8	5	8		
"Red	紅瓜	lb.	8	5	8		
Cabbage, Chinese	芥蘭	lb.	14	—	—		
(Shanghai)	上海菜	lb.	—	12	—		
Cane Shoots, bunch	竹筴菜	lb.	10	—	—		
Cauliflower (Large)	大花椰菜	each	—	—	—		
(Medium)	中花椰菜	each	—	—	—		
(Small)	小花椰菜	each	—	—	—		
Carrots	金絲菜	lb.	8	6	6		
Celery, Chinese	吳茱菜	lb.	—	10	6		
Chillies, Dried	吳茱菜	lb.	18	25	8		
"Red	紅辣椒	lb.	15	10	12		
"Green	青辣椒	lb.	8	8	10		
Curry Stuff, English	椰菜	lb.	10	8	—		
Cucumbers	黃瓜	lb.	8	2	—		
Garlic	蒜	lb.	8	6	—		
Ginger, Young	薑	lb.	10	7	—		
Old	老薑	lb.	8	20	—		
Horseradish, Shanghai	馬蹄菜	lb.	60	8	4		
Indian Corn	玉米	each	9	45	—		
Lettuce	生菜	lb.	10	1	—		
Water Chestnuts	荸薺	lb.	12	—	8		
"Mandarin	桂花	lb.	14	—	8		
Mushrooms, Fresh	鮮蘑菇	lb.	50	—	—		
Okroes	茄	lb.	16	1	10		
Onions, Bombay	蔥	lb.	10	8	8		
"Green	青蔥	lb.	6	4	8		
"Shanghai	上海蔥	lb.	8	6	—		
Parsley	芹	lb.	35	60	8		
Potato, Sweet	甘薯	lb.	5	8	—		
"Japanese	日本薯	lb.	—	8	—		
"American	金山薯	lb.	8	8	—		
Pumpkin	南瓜	lb.	5	4	4		
Radish	紅蘿蔔	lb.	—	—	10		
Rhubarb (Fresh)	大干菜	lb.	12	—	8		
Shallots	蔥	lb.	6	8	—		
Spinach	菠菜	lb.	18	4	—		
Tomatoes	番茄	lb.	8	6	—		
Taro	芋	lb.	8	4	—		
Turnips, Punt (Long)	長白蘿蔔	lb.	6	4	—		
Vegetable Marrow	茭白	lb.	15	15	—		
Water Cress	蔞薺	lb.	8	15	—		
Water Lily Root	蓮藕	lb.	8	15	—		

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BRITISH INDUSTRIES FAIR PLANS.

Invitations Shortly Go
To 300,000 Buyers.

London, To-day.
Invitations to 250,000 United Kingdom and 50,000 foreign buyers, representing 79 countries, will shortly be sent out for the British Industries Fair to be held next February. The last Fair recorded an increase of 4,000 in trade visitors. Each year it increases in size and attraction.

A branch of the Fair will again be held at Birmingham, including exhibits of the latest machinery for mining, quarrying, roadmaking and street mending. Nearly 1,000 firms have already booked space and 90 per cent. of floor accommodation has been allotted. There are 136 firms exhibiting furniture and 127 textiles. Numerous firms will exhibit weather and leather goods, sports goods, stationery, fancy goods, toys and games, jewellery, silver, and electroplate.—British Wireless Service.

U.S. ATTITUDE ON MANCHURIA.

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Reports that Tokyo is preparing to protest against Mr. Stimson's speech are discounted, in view of the wide approval with which they were received elsewhere.—Reuter.

No Instructions.

London, Yesterday.
The Washington correspondent of The Times declares that although Mr. Debuchi, Japanese Ambassador to Washington, denied that he had received instructions from Tokyo to inquire into the implications in Mr. Stimson's speech respecting the Briand-Kellogg Pact, Mr. Debuchi admitted that the question of the speech had naturally arisen.

Mr. Stimson again emphasised the continued opposition by the United States of Japanese control of Manchuria, or any other part of China, acquired through force and arms, and also the United States' determination of co-operation with the League in every effort to uphold the peace pact and Lytton report.—Reuter.

Herriot's Endorsement.

Paris, To-day.
Endorsement of Mr. H. L. Stimson's speech on the Briand-Kellogg Pact was given by Premier Herriot of France in an interview here to-day.—Reuter.

HOOVER INSISTS ON DEBT PAYMENT.

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World depression and alluded to the "poisoned springs of political instability inherent in Peace Treaties." The European financial panic of last year had checked the revival in the United States, he said. We stemmed the tide of collapse in Germany and now propose a reduction in the cost of world armaments by G.\$1,000,000,000 annually. We are participating in the World Conference's work for the restoration of the international economic fabric.—Reuter's American Service.

BASEBALL. CHICAGO CUBS HEAD NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Beat Pittsburgh
Pirates By 3 To 2.

INDIANS BEAT TIGERS.

New York, To-day.

Judge Landis is now in Pittsburgh to investigate the charges made against the Chicago Cubs, including Bush, the pitcher, who are alleged to have gambled heavily on horse racing while Roger Hornsby was manager. Judge Landis is the "Dictator of American Baseball."

Hornsby resigned four days ago from his position as manager of the Chicago Nationals team and the Club released him as a player. Charlie Grimm has been appointed the new manager.

The Cubs displaced the Pirates at the head of the National League yesterday when they deservedly won a close game by 3 to 2.

The Cleveland Indians, as the result of a home run by Averill, beat the Tigers to creep up on the Athletics in the American League. Ferrell pitched for the Tigers who went down by 3 to nil.

The following were the results:

National League.

	R.	H.	E.
Philadelphia Phillies	7	10	0
Boston Braves	2	9	1
Pittsburgh Pirates	2	8	1
Chicago Cubs	3	11	0

American League.

	P.	W.	L.	Perc.
Chicago White Sox	5	13	2	
St. Louis Browns	6	10	2	
Cleveland Indians	3	5	0	
Detroit Tigers	0	7	1	

—Reuter's American Service.

TABLES TO DATE.

National League.

	P.	W.	L.	Perc.
Chicago	107	59	48	.551
Pittsburgh	110	60	50	.545
Boston	112	58	54	.517
Brooklyn	111	57	54	.514
Philadelphia	114	57	57	.500
St. Louis	109	53	56	.486
New York	106	50	56	.471
Cincinnati	114	48	66	.417

American League.

	P.	W.	L.	Perc.
New York	110	75	35	.682
Philadelphia	110	66	44	.600
Cleveland	110	65	45	.590
Washington	110	61	49	.554
Detroit	107	57	50	.532
St. Louis	109	49	60	.449
Chicago	106	36	70	.339
Boston	108	26	82	.241

FAIR TO SHOWERY.

To-day's weather report from the Royal Observatory states—

Pressure is highest over the Pacific to the East of Japan.

The typhoon is situated about 100 miles South East of Nagasaki, moving slowly North-eastward.

Forecast: South-west winds, moderate; fair to showery.

SPEEDING UP THE MAILS.

Flight From Peking
To Siberia.

Peking, Yesterday.

The first attempt to speed up the mails from China to Europe since the postal embargo on the Manchukuo began this morning when Wilhelm Schmidt, General-Manager of the Eurasia Aviation Company, hopped off from Peking in a new Junkers monoplane with Johannes Rathe, acting as pilot, bound for Siberia by a route completely avoiding Manchuria.

Herr Schmidt plans to make his first stop at Loyang, and then proceed to Sianfu, Lanchow and Urumchi, picking up the mails at each city, and then to head for the nearest station on the trans-Siberian Railway or a branch line with a landing field.—Reuter.

SPANISH REVOLT IS SUBDUED.

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Complete Collapse.

Madrid, Yesterday.

The monarchist revolt collapsed utterly early this morning when General Sanjurjo fled and the authorities took over control in Seville without incident. The resumption of telephonic communication revealed that few incidents of importance occurred. Up to the present there have been no casualties reported.

General Sanjurjo had not met with armed resistance when he captured the city, and contented himself with imprisoning the Governor, the Mayor and a number of Councillors. A revolutionary general strike was declared in protest and a mob burned a club used by the wealthy landowners.

The Mayor and Governor have now resumed their posts and the troops remain passive. Many other officers and civilians concerned in the revolt have fled.

Protest Riots.

Mob rioting in protest is reported in other centres. In Granada the Traditionalist Club has been burned down.

Five people were seriously injured in an attack on the house of Count Guadiana, the leading aristocrat, who returned the fire from his windows, whereupon the crowd broke into an armourer's shop and seized the weapons and returned the fire. At Santander two monarchist clubs were burned and the Catholic newspaper offices wrecked.

In most centres, the monarchist headquarters and newspaper offices have been closed. Military judges are investigating the rising but reports of summary execution are premature.

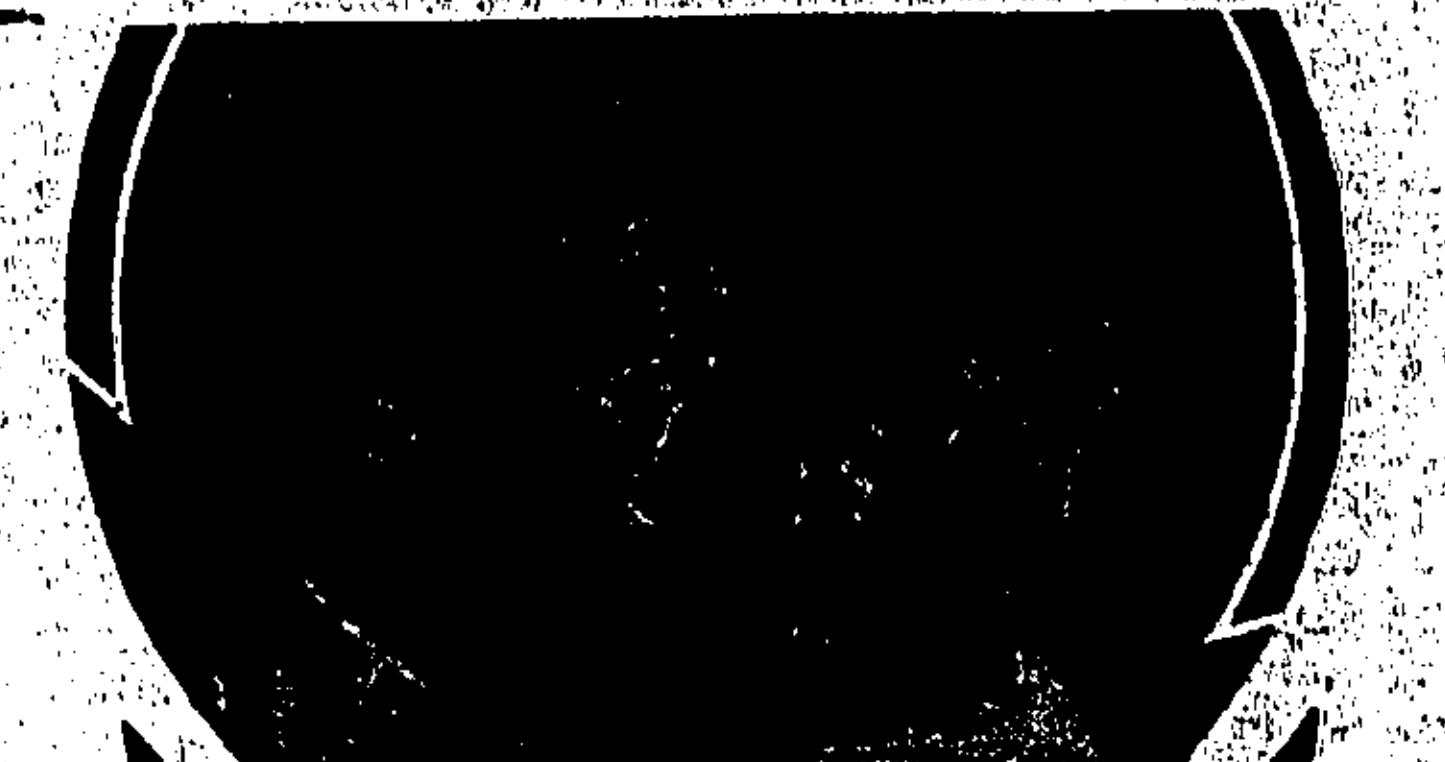
Enthusiastic demonstrations in support of a Republic occurred in Barcelona.

It is believed that if the movement had been successful Catalonia would have declared a separate Republic.

It is reported that General Sanjurjo has been arrested.—Reuter.

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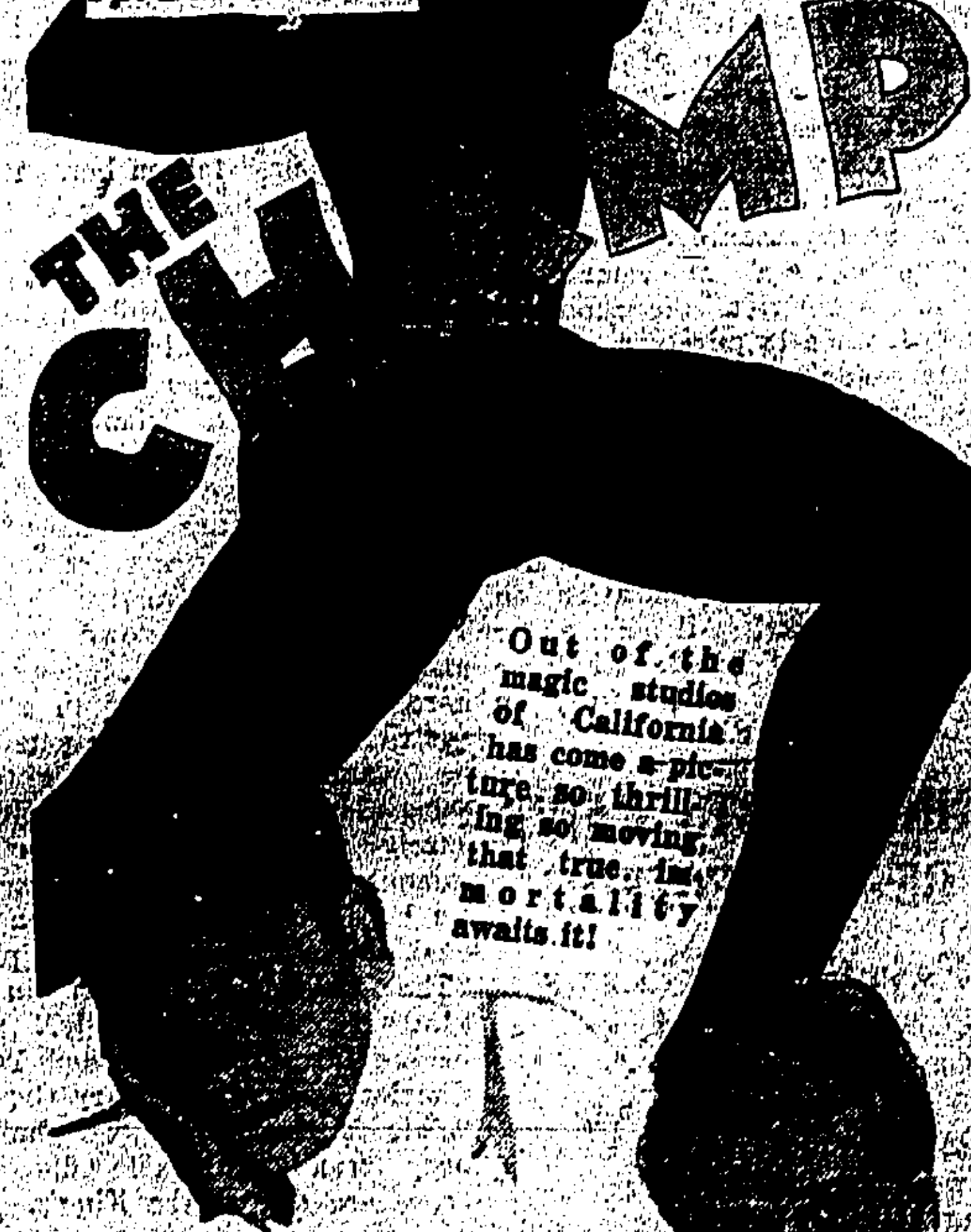
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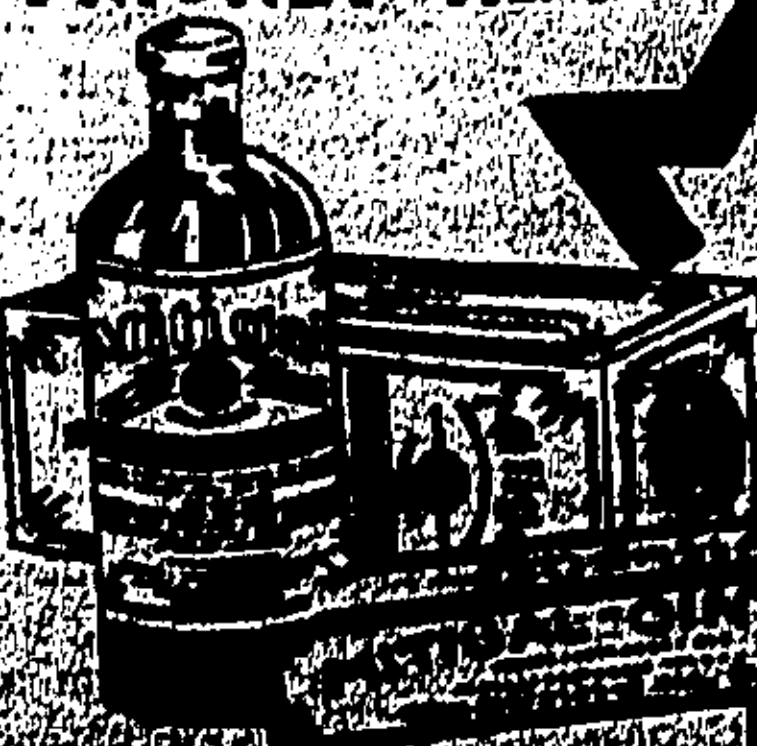
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